

Upholds Rent Control Act

High Court Says Present Law Okay

Washington, Dec. 12—(AP)—The validity of the present federal rent control act was upheld by the Supreme Court today.

By an 8-0 vote, the court threw out arguments that Congress went too far in delegating power to state and local governments to free themselves of controls.

The act, a successor to previous control legislation, became effective last April 1. It will expire June 30. Whether Congress will extend controls beyond that date is an open question.

The government estimates that some 14,000,000 housing accommodations remain under federal control.

Four-Word Decision

The court's action was announced in a four-word decision which said only: "The judgment is reversed."

That judgment was handed down by U. S. District Court Judge Elwyn R. Shaw at Chicago last August. He had the entire act unconstitutional.

He said Congress had no right to include a "local option" provision which allows states or communities to remove federal rent controls.

His decision never had any practical effect. It was suspended pending the outcome of a government appeal to the supreme court.

Since he ruled, six other U. S. district courts have held that the act is constitutional.

Based On Previous Ruling

The supreme court noted that it based its reasoning on a previous decision, handed down February 16, 1948. It involved an attack on the rent control act of 1947 which delegated to the housing expediter the power to lift controls in any area where he found they were no longer needed.

The court held in that case that the act did not involve "a grant of unbridled administrative discretion."

It said "the standards prescribed pass muster under our decisions."

That earlier opinion was written by Justice Douglas, who took no part in today's action. He is still recuperating from injuries he suffered in a riding accident on October 2.

Justice Shaw had taken note of the earlier case and ruled that the two were not parallel. He said the 1947 act set up guides for the housing expediter, but that the 1949 act does not establish guides for states or communities.

Paper Says Group Profited On Land Deals In Chicago

Chicago, Dec. 12—(AP)—The Chicago Sun-Times said today a syndicate including Cook county Democratic Chairman Jacob M. Arvey profited from purchase of property marked for condemnation for a superhighway.

Arvey, a powerful, behind-the-scenes figure in Democratic politics, said he "participated in the purchase to make a profit, xxx anything wrong with that?" the newspaper reported.

Three Sun-Times was printed after Mayor Martin Kennedy ordered an investigation of real estate deals involving property situated on the proposed highway right-of-way.

Property involved in the syndicate deal was an entire block of 27 buildings on the near west side.

The newspaper quoted Arvey as saying the purchase was made after Cook county had filed its condemnation suit in April, 1946, with about \$900,000 paid to the former owners.

A circuit court jury awarded the syndicate \$1,206,452.62 in payment for a 240 foot right of way through the block and damages to adjacent land and buildings.

Chester Folks Get Stuck On Bargain Deals In Porkers

Chester, Ill., Dec. 12—(AP)—A lot of people hereabouts are learning they got stuck on what they considered to be bargain deals in hogs.

Porkers bought from William A. Smith are being returned to the state penitentiary at Menard as fast as they can be rounded up.

State's Attorney John Heuer said today that the 53-year-old Smith had confessed that he sold upward to 150 hogs which he bought from convicts at the penitentiary during the last four or five years.

Heuer said Smith told him he bought the hogs for \$5 each and sold them for between \$20 and \$25 apiece. Forty-five of the animals have been recovered.

Farmer William Welge was among those who took a beating on the purchases. Two girls he bought from Smith were bred and had litters of 12 each. The sows were bred again and were about to have new litters when the state stepped in to claim the property.

Seeping Gas Blast Kills 5 Persons In Michigan House

Birmingham, Mich., Dec. 12—(AP)—You could hardly look at the stark, smoke-blackened chimney today without feeling a chill.

Here for many years stood the Mother and Son antique shop. Last night it was blasted to bits by a gas explosion. Five persons were killed. Four others were injured, one seriously.

If you were a resident of this fashionable Detroit suburb, you had memories bound up in the rubble of this quaint old house. The three-story frame building was a landmark here.

It was relaxing to sit in an ancient armchair and chat with gentle little Edith Jones, the 76-year-old owner. She was witty, and her smile was heart-warming.

After the blast they carried Mrs. Jones' charred body out of the raging gas flames. They also found the bodies of Wilson Jones, her crippled 47-year-old son; Lee Carroll, 44, a fire inspector; Mrs. Ruth Bramson and Arthur B. Wilson, 54, both guests.

Not until today did neighbors find out about the fears that had been hidden for years behind Mrs. Jones' placid face.

It was seeping gas—steadily seeping gas.

Another son, Nelson Jones, said today in Lakewood, Ohio: "Mother was afraid that gas would blow that place up. The house was built 30 years ago and the trouble with leaking gas started 30 years ago."

CIO Leader Urges European Unions To Fight Commies

Paris, Dec. 12—(AP)—Walter Reuther, president of the CIO United Automobile Workers, today urged free European unions to fight the Communists on a "bread-and-butter level," by showing they could get more for labor.

Speaking at a news conference in his Paris hotel, Reuther also:

1. Predicted easier cooperation between the Congress of Industrial Organizations and the American Federation of Labor at home, after their recent cooperation in forming the International Confederation of Free Trade unions (ICFTU) at London last week.

2. Criticized as "intolerable" French controls on wages without controls on prices, and said that French unions would have to support other parties if the government would not make policy in labor's interest.

3. Endorsed the Marshall plan "100 per cent," but added that it would have to "drill some big holes" to get aid "to trickle down" from the top to "the great mass of the people."

POST OFFICE CLERK STEALS 5,700 3-CENT STAMPS OVER YEARS

Cleveland, Dec. 12—(AP)—There are 5,700 three-cent stamps in \$171, but postal inspectors said a veteran clerk in Cleveland's post office stole that many with a ruler for a rake.

Postal Inspector Frank J. Farrell said Julius B. Jacobs, 51, admitted the thefts—made over many months during lunch or rest periods of other clerks.

Farrell said Jacobs reached through the wire mesh opening with a ruler and pulled the stamps to his own cage. With a stamp excess in his account, the accused clerk pocketed the money from their sale.

Farrell said.

Census Takers Told People Don't Mind Their Querries

Washington, Dec. 12—(AP)—The people who plan to ask 2,000,000,000 questions next year got some reassurance today from the head census taker.

The census taker may be damned in advance, said Philip M. Hauser, acting director of the Census Bureau, but when you come right down to it, Americans don't mind answering questions.

(This, of course, is what the master of every quiz show already knows.)

Hauser wouldn't say anything for the record, about Republican criticism of some of the questions the census takers plan to ask about income. Twenty-three Republican congressmen said yesterday that they feel these questions flout the Constitution, and—

"To make matters worse, the 140,000 Paul Pry census takers will be their neighbors."

"Remember the last census," Hauser told 20 top technicians who are beginning two weeks of intensive census study.

"We even had appeals over the radio then for people not to answer,

China Nationals To Make Changes To Get U.S. Help

Taipei, Formosa, Dec. 12—(AP)—The Chinese nationalist government was authoritatively portrayed to-night as ready to make immediate drastic reforms on Formosa to earn American economic and diplomatic assistance in holding this island fortress against the communists.

This word came from a high source which may not be named but is close to Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek. The renewed and joyful nationalist talk of aid grew from unofficial Washington reports that the United States was prepared to give economic and diplomatic support for the retention of Formosa.

"While the Washington reports were unofficial and did not deal with military aid, various nationalist leaders intimated strong optimism concerning possible American help," Chiang was said here to have asked that Formosa be put under an American protectorate. The authoritative source, however, expressed firm belief in Chiang's full cooperation if the United States would help him keep this island out of communist hands.

The cost would be low—a most inexpensive investment to help stem communism—the source said, although he mentioned no figures.

As for reforms on repressive Formosa, the source said currency, land and other administrative advancements had been made during the last six months. He said the government now was planning to push political reforms immediately. He said U. S. advice on the scene would be welcomed.

Tingling Cold Is Keynote For This Week's Weather

By the Associated Press

Tingling cold was the keynote of weather for most of the nation's middle and western reaches Monday.

The picture was less violent than the week-end of tornadoes, gales, blizzards, fogs and icy rains which took 45 lives. But, except in the eastern third of the country, conditions were pretty numb all over.

The mercury, which dipped to a bitter 27 below zero at Big Piney, Wyo., performed low register antics that distressed residents of the southwest.

It was 13 below at Gallup, N. Mex., for example. Even Southern California had its zero readings—in the mountains—and water pipes cracked in freezing weather which hits much of the state. In Van Nuys, Calif., in the San Fernando valley, motorists reported patches of ice in the streets as the thermometers registered 23 above.

Name Chicago Girl 'Illinois Dairy Queen' At Meet

Chicago, Dec. 12—(AP)—W. R. Lloyd of Decatur, president of the Illinois Dairy Products Association, crowned 18-year-old June Bostrom of Chicago "Illinois Dairy Queen" at the group's 17th annual convention today.

The association—comprised of 1500 members—is meeting jointly with the Associated Illinois Milk Sanitarians and the Illinois Dairy Products Booster Association.

Speakers today included Rep. Paul Powell (D-Vienna), speaker of the Illinois House of Representatives; Morris I. Pickus, president of the Personnel Institute, Inc., New York; Earl M. Hughes, Woodstock, Ill., and Owen M. Richards, general manager of the American Dairy Association, Chicago.

Pickus criticized employee pensions and urged instead company-financed education programs "so that the worker automatically steps up his earning capacity."

The convention will end Wednesday.

Pick Jury To Try Young Mother For Death Of Her Baby

Chicago, Dec. 12—(AP)—A jury was picked today to try Mrs. Dorothy Skeoch, 22, on a murder charge in the diaper strangulation of her six day old baby.

Defense attorneys indicated they would plead temporary insanity resulting from "post-natal psychosis" for Mrs. Skeoch.

The jury of seven women and five men was not qualified for the death penalty. Assistant State's Attorney Edmund Grant said the state would make no recommendations but would merely present the facts.

Woodlawn police said Mrs. Skeoch admitted strangling her baby, Susan Elizabeth, last Aug. 19. Two mental tests had indicated she is sane.

Mrs. Skeoch is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles La Mont, Astoria, Ore.

SAYS LATINS MAKE POOR HUSBANDS

Chicago, Dec. 12—(AP)—"Latins make wonderful lovers, but poor husbands," pretty Mary Perez said today in obtaining a divorce.

Jacinto "Chico" Perez, 33, rhumba band leader, did not contest the circuit court suit of his 24-year-old wife, a model.

She alleged he struck her twice and once dragged her about a summer resort by her hair. She blamed his behavior on "artistic temperament." Mrs. Perez' professional name is Toni Brooks.

Hoover Asks U.S. To Slash Spending

Reform Needed To Stop Inflation And Higher Taxes

Washington, Dec. 12—(AP)—Herbert Hoover, in a new appeal for government reform, said today that soaring federal costs may turn "two Frankensteins loose in the land"—higher taxes and inflation.

The former president told the National Reorganization Conference that while economists say taxation beyond 25 percent of national income brings disaster, federal and local taxes now eat up "far more than 30 per cent."

"We must conserve our strength and stop wasting our heritage if we are to survive as a free people," Hoover declared. He offered a recipe for saving \$2,000,000,000.

Addresses Citizens Committee

He was addressing, at a dinner, several hundred members of the citizens committee for the Hoover report. It is a voluntary, non-government, non-partisan group organized to win congress' approval of the recommendations made by the 12-member Hoover commission last spring.

Grey-haired but ruddy and vigorous at 75, Hoover gave the committee a program of "most urgent" objectives in federal reform. This list alone, he said, could save \$2,000,000,000 and provide "more efficient service to the public."

Heading his priority list was a "skilled, non-political civil service." He urged that hiring and firing be done by the agencies themselves, instead of by the civil service commission, and went on:

Red Tape In Civil Service

"At present Red Tape himself dwells in the civil service of 2,200,000 employees. The result is an accumulation of waste and deadwood—and discouragement of good officials."

Second in priority was budget and accounting reform: "the ghost of Alexander Hamilton still wanders in our fiscal machinery. I doubt whether more than 15 men in the world can make head or tail of the 10,000,000 words and sums in the present federal budget." His list continued:

Third—reorganization of the post office, and its removal from politics. Its people are "courteous, helpful, hardworking," but its organization is "a relic of Ben Franklin plus 160 years of off-conflicting laws."

Testifies Some Labelled Hiss 'A Fellow Traveler'

New York, Dec. 12—(AP)—A former superior of Alger Hiss testified today that Hiss once was labelled in some government circles as "a fellow traveler."

One of Hiss' own character witnesses, Dr. Stanley K. Hornbeck, gave the testimony during cross-examination. He is a former ambassador to The Netherlands.

Hornbeck said he heard William C. Bullitt, former ambassador to France, describe Hiss as "a fellow traveler" sometime between 1939 and 1943.

"Did Mr. Bullitt tell you he had heard it in Paris?" Dr. Hornbeck was asked by the prosecution.

"He did," the witness replied.

However, Dr. Hornbeck said he kept the information to himself and said nothing to his own superiors or the FBI.

Dr. Hornbeck said he never heard any report that Hiss was a communist. Nor, he said, did he ever suspect that Hiss might have taken government secrets for a prewar Soviet spy ring.

Mrs. Stevenson Divorces Governor In Secret Hearing

Las Vegas, Nev., Dec. 12—(AP)—Governor Adlai Stevenson of Illinois was divorced today. Charges of extreme mental cruelty were brought by Ellen Borden Stevenson at the secret hearing.

Files of the hearing were sealed, and no details were disclosed.

Recently, however, her attorney said that Mrs. Stevenson, 40, would share the custody of three sons with the 49 year old governor.

The Illinois chief executive has previously mentioned "the incompatibility of our lives," in relation to the divorce action being brought by his wife.

Mrs. Stevenson, daughter of the millionaire oilman John Borden, has declined to comment on reports that she did not care for public life as first lady of the big midwestern state.

Following today's action she emerged from District Judge Harry M. Watson's chambers with "no comment" her only remark to newsmen on the divorce suit.

Blind Newshawker Is Robbed Of His 2 Week's Earnings

Chicago, Dec. 12—(AP)—A blind newshawker was held up with a knife today and robbed of \$100—his two weeks' earnings.

"This is the worst Christmas present I ever got," said Frank Marchetti, 35.

Frank was arranging papers and magazines on the racks of his stand when a man asked him if neighborhood taverns and a bakery were open. He gave the man directions.

Several hours later the same voice returned and asked for a paper. As Frank gave him one, he felt a knife at his ribs. The robber slipped off Frank's money changer, containing \$6, and growled:

"Give me the rest you got."

Frank handed over \$94 more.

"I've already bought the Christmas presents for this year," he said, "but I'll have to borrow to keep going the next few weeks. It's a sad thing for a man trying to survive."

He works 87 hours a week and is the sole support of his wife, Angela, 36, and a stepdaughter, 16. He hasn't missed a day at work in seven years.

Reports 5 Million Families Get 2 Billion From U.S.

Washington, Dec. 12—(AP)—A government official said today that more than 5,000,000 needy Americans are now receiving public assistance at a cost of nearly \$2,000,000,000 a year.

John L. Thurston, acting federal security administrator, cited the figures in testimony at the opening of a 10-day congressional inquiry into problems of the nation's low-income families.

Thurston said the federal government provides about half of the \$2,000,000,000 outlay, while the other half comes from state and local community funds.

"Public assistance" grants to the needy are distinct from the old age insurance system of social security. Persons in the latter system contribute through taxes and draw the benefits without regard to need.

Referring to the size of the expenditure on public assistance, Thurston told the lawmakers:

"This is to some people an astonishing phenomenon, considering the fact that we have had full or practically full employment for the past seven or eight years."

"It is not at all astonishing, however, in relation to the large number of families with no earner or with a low-income earner, and in view of the inadequacies of our social insurance program."

Demonstration In Choking Precedes Murder Of Coed

Iowa City, Iowa, Dec. 12—(AP)—An impromptu demonstration in choking a person preceded the strangulation death of a beautiful coed, according to a statement allegedly made by her accused slayer.

Immediately before his mind "went blank," said Robert Emil Bednasek, 24, in the statement he recalled having his hands on the throat of Margaret Anne Jackson. The statement was released today by County Attorney Jack C. White.

Bednasek also declared they were alone in a room at a men's rooming house near the campus of the University of Iowa, where both were senior students in psychology.

At his arraignment in justice of the peace court on a charge of murder, Bednasek asked for a preliminary hearing but did not enter a formal plea. Justice C. J. Hutchinson set the hearing for Dec. 21.

His lawyer, however, said Bednasek would plead innocent. He said the plea might be entered before the date set for the hearing, in which case Bednasek would waive to the grand jury and the hearing would be cancelled.

While Hutchinson was reading the charge, Bednasek shook his head from side to side.

Illinois Leads 48 In Slaughtering Livestock In Oct.

Springfield, Illinois, Dec. 12—(AP)—Illinois led all states in the number of cattle, calves, sheep and lambs slaughtered during October, the state-federal agriculture department reported today.

Total meat production by all slaughtering houses in Illinois was 172,000,000 pounds, up six percent over September and three percent above October, 1948.

The number of cattle slaughtered last month totaled 157,000 head, compared with 176,000 the previous month and 167,000 in October last year.

Other slaughter totals for last month:

Calves 71,000 head (compared with 101,000 a year ago); Sheep and lambs 99,000 (compared with 195,000 a year ago); and hogs 671,000 (compared with 562,000 a year ago).

Fined \$500 For Embezzling \$1,000

East St. Louis, Ill., Dec. 12—(AP)—Kenneth W. Rapp, former clerk at the St. Clair national bank of Belleville, was fined \$500 and placed on probation for two years today on his guilty plea to embezzlement of \$1,000.

Sentence was imposed by U. S. district judge Fred L. Wham.

The court was told that Rapp, 25, used the embezzled funds to buy an automobile. Rapp paid back the money to the bank.

U. S. Denounces Bulgaria For Indignities To Consuls

Washington, Dec. 12—(AP)—The United States denounced Communist Bulgaria today for subjecting American legation officials at Sofia to "indignities," restrictions and false charges.

Undersecretary James E. Webb summoned Bulgaria's top Washington representative to the State Department and Minister Heath and indicating that Heath had deliberately lied in denying that he had ever seen Kostov or had ever exchanged a word with him.

Kostov is one of several defendants on trial at Sofia.

"These most recent actions of the Bulgaria government directed against the American minister are not an isolated development," the State department declared in a formal statement about Webb's protest. It added:

"For some time the United States legation in Sofia has been subjected to a series of indignities and restrictions including false charges against American officials, intimidation and persecution of local Bulgarian employees, refusal to issue visas to personnel assigned to the legation and various restrictions on travel and housing."

Probers Turn To Witnesses

Airliner Crashes In Potomac; 19 Saved, 3 Missing

Washington, Dec. 12—(AP)—A Capital airliner groping for National airport in a pea soup fog crashed into the Potomac river tonight and authorities announced that three or four persons were "presumed dead."

At least 19 others, many of them seriously hurt, were rescued from mid-river by navy and air force crash boats speeding through the water in the murk.

The wrecked craft had been bound from Memphis, Tenn., to Washington via Norfolk, carrying mostly navy and army men on Christmas leave.

Capital airlines announced shortly after midnight that the pilot and co-pilot of the craft were believed dead, trapped in the submerged plane.

They were W. J. Davis, co-pilot, and L. L. Porter, both of Alexandria, Virginia. Air force authorities said at least one other body might be in the craft.

The only surviving member of the crew was John W. Buell, 23, flight attendant, of Alexandria.

Photographers who joined the rescue parties reported that, two bodies, presumably those of the pilots, could be seen in the front end of the smashed plane, under the glare of floodlights.

Venus, Jupiter Make Dazzling Display In West

New York, Dec. 12—(AP)—Two of the mythical candidates for the star of Bethlehem are making a simultaneous, dazzling appearance in the western sky this month.

They are the planets Jupiter and Venus, close together. Astronomers have studied the positions of both 1950 years ago to see whether they fitted the biblical story.

The verdict is probably not, but this month's spectacle is probably as brilliant as the Bethlehem star.

Look to the west, soon after sunset. There are two big, white stars, one almost as big as an auto headlight far away. The bigger is Venus. She is two-and-a-half times brighter than Jupiter. This means she is just about the greatest brightness that any planet, or any star, can have.

Venus is so brilliant that the day after Christmas sharp eyes may see her in the daytime. The moon will be three days old then. The magazine Sky and Telescope says this Christmas moon will be three degrees, forty-nine minutes, south of Venus and will aid in spotting the daylight position of the planet. If you see the faint outline of the moon, then move your glance straight up the sky for a short distance.

Woods Against Any General Rent Hike In Cook County

Washington, Dec. 12—(AP)—Housing expediter Tighe E. Woods today upheld a recommendation of the Cook county (Chicago) rent advisory board against any general increase in rent ceilings in the Chicago defense-rental area.

Woods, in advising the board of his approval, said he found its recommendation "is supported by adequate and substantial evidence."

The board first recommended against any general rent increase in the area after a hearing called last summer on the petition of the Cook county Fair Rent committee, a landlord organization.

Woods reported its recommendation then but the Fair Rent committee appealed to the emergency court of appeals. The court sent the case back to the rent board to make findings of facts based on the record.

In submitting its new findings, the board again recommended that there be no general rent increase.

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SHIFT IN BOND PURCHASING

According to the U. S. treasury department sales of \$500 and \$1,000 series E savings bonds now exceed the sale of the \$25 and \$50 denominations—a reversal of the wartime situation. The \$1,000 sales amount to 42 per cent, and \$500 sales, 14 per cent.

But the 56 per cent represents a slim lead. By this time after the First World war, the little bond holders were practically cleaned out. Never in the past (except during the last war) was income so widely distributed among the people as at present.

GOOD FOR SOMETHING

The Library of Congress says that in 1947 and 1948 lobbyists out-numbered congressmen in Washington by 3 to 1. That means there must be at least 1,600 of them swarming around the capital when the lawmakers are in town.

The library's researchers think, too, that a lot more may be hanging about who ought to register as lobbyists but don't. Nothing wrong with lobbyists as such; they're necessary to get all viewpoints before Congress. But in their present ration they're a trifle overwhelming.

Still, you won't get a Washington cabbie to complain. Ask any taxi driver in the capital and he'll tell you it's the lobbyists and the non-professional favor seekers—not the congressmen—who keep him in business.

TOP SCIENTIST TAKES HIS STAND AGAINST THE 'SECURITY STATE'

Dr. Vannevar Bush, the nation's top wartime scientist, has ranged himself against what he sees as a growing trend toward government-sponsored "soft security" for the American people.

Because Dr. Bush is distinguished in science that does not qualify him to speak with authority on social and political affairs. Too often experts in one field like to offer themselves as experts in all.

But Dr. Bush has already proved himself a man of statesmanlike stature. He was not chosen head of the wartime Office of Scientific Research and Development merely because of his rank as a scientist. He understands the need for relating science to the broader patterns of life.

His new book, "Modern Arms and Free Men," is being hailed as one of the most important books of the postwar period. It brings home to the average man what another war would be like.

Thus Dr. Bush's comment on trends cannot be dismissed as the uninformed blather of an ivory-tower statesman insulated from reality. He is not the type of man who talks without thinking first.

Dr. Bush is sincerely worried that people in this country are becoming too interested in cushioning the blows of life and have lost the desire for bold, risk-taking adventure.

"People bent on a soft security, surrendering their birthright of individual self-reliance for favors, voting themselves into Eden from a supposedly inexhaustible public purse, supporting everyone by soaking a fast-disappearing rich, scrambling for subsidy, learning the arts of log-rolling and forgetting the rugged virtues of the pioneer, will not measure up to competition with a tough dictatorship."

So spoke Dr. Bush recently at Cambridge, Mass. He added:

"If we go all the way down the path to dependence and render ourselves a people fawning for handouts on an intriguing bureaucracy, Russia can cease its building of war machines. It will conquer the world without them."

Dr. Bush believes Americans have the "wit to recognize a dangerous trend, reverse it before it is too late, and laugh at sirens with crack-brained economic theories who would guide us down an easy path over a precipice."

There is no great sign, however, that people generally do view present trends as dangerous. Or that warnings from opponents of the "security state" make much of a dent in popular thinking.

If the course of events is indeed a menace to American freedom, it will probably require some positive, easily measurable loss of liberty to convince people. They have heard too many words. Only the reality of events seems likely to impress them.

But should they some time decide that another course is wise, they might well hope for men of the caliber of Dr. Bush to help lead them down that new path.

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THE DOCTOR SAYS:

Cortisone Costs But Offers Help To Arthritis Case

By Edwin P. Jordan, M. D. Written for NEA Service

Among the great unsolved problems of medicine is the disease generally known as rheumatoid arthritis. This is often a truly tragic condition usually attacking several of the joints simultaneously or one after the other. It produces pain, tenderness, swelling and stiffness. The victims of rheumatoid arthritis are likely to become depressed and eventually more or less crippled. As yet the cause of rheumatoid arthritis is not known. It has a tendency to afflict women more than men and young women more than older ones. Frequently those with rheumatoid arthritis become thin and emaciated. The muscles become weaker and anemia and low fever are common.

The outlook is not always dim, however. Many patients who develop rheumatoid arthritis do not progress towards a greater and crippling. The condition may stop after only one or two joints have been affected.

Cortisone Still Scarce
The great development for the arthritis victim has occurred recently. This is the preparation of the substance known as Compound E or cortisone and its trial on several arthritis sufferers. It is still not clear why cortisone should produce the remarkable effects that it does in rheumatoid arthritis.

As has been pointed out many times, this preparation is simply not yet available in quantity, is exceedingly expensive, the best dosage has not been worked out, and one cannot yet be certain as to whether side effects are harmful or not.

It is true that the way may be long and disappointments many, but in the view of many leaders in the field, the line of investigation now opened up offers more hope than anything which has developed in the past.

Note: Dr. Jordan is unable to answer individual questions from readers. However, each day he will answer one of the most frequently asked questions in his column.

The Doctor Answers

By Edwin P. Jordan, M. D.

QUESTION: Not long ago you said in your column that people with goiter were not mentally responsible—in other words, they were plain nuts. This has caused me worry.

ANSWER: I am sure that I never said this. It certainly is not true, except in rare cases.

Y.M.C.A. Schedule

Week of Dec. 12-17.

Mon. Dec. 12 7-9 p.m. Junior High Fun night. Mr. and Mrs. Merle Crouse Parent Co-Chairmen for the month of December. Chuck Bonjean's Orchestra will play for dancing.

7:30 p.m. Hi-Y and Delta Tri-Hi-Y, joint meeting at Grace Methodist church. Panel discussion on "dating, etiquette and courtship," moderator, Mrs. R. J. Kaufmann, school psychologist at I.S.D.

Tues. Dec. 13 12:00 noon Policy committee meeting 5:30 p.m. Alpha Tri-Hi-Y supper meeting 8-11 p.m. H. S. Night at Youth Center, 7 p.m. G. S. Troop 26, upstairs, 7-10 p.m. Y.M.C.A. Basketball League, S. Jacksonville School, 1st game-Sunbeam Bread vs. Winchester V.F.W. 2nd game-Farmers' Auto Sales vs. Franklin.

Wed. Dec. 14 12:00 noon Y.M.C.A. Board of Directors meeting Dunlap hotel. Youth Center closed in evening. 7-11 p.m. Y. M. C. A. Basketball, S. Jacksonville School 1st game-Winchester Hot Shots vs. White Hall 2nd game-Chapin vs. Ill. Nat. Guard. 3rd game-Franklin vs. Winchester V.F.W.

Thurs. Dec. 15 5:30 p.m. Delta Tri-Hi-Y supper meeting 8-11 p.m. Co-Ed 18 and up.

Fri. Dec. 16 H. S. and Jr. High Night. 7-10:30 open house after basketball game.

Sat. Dec. 17 8-11:30 p.m. H. S. and Young adult night. Boots Brennan's orchestra will play, 8:30-11:30 p.m.

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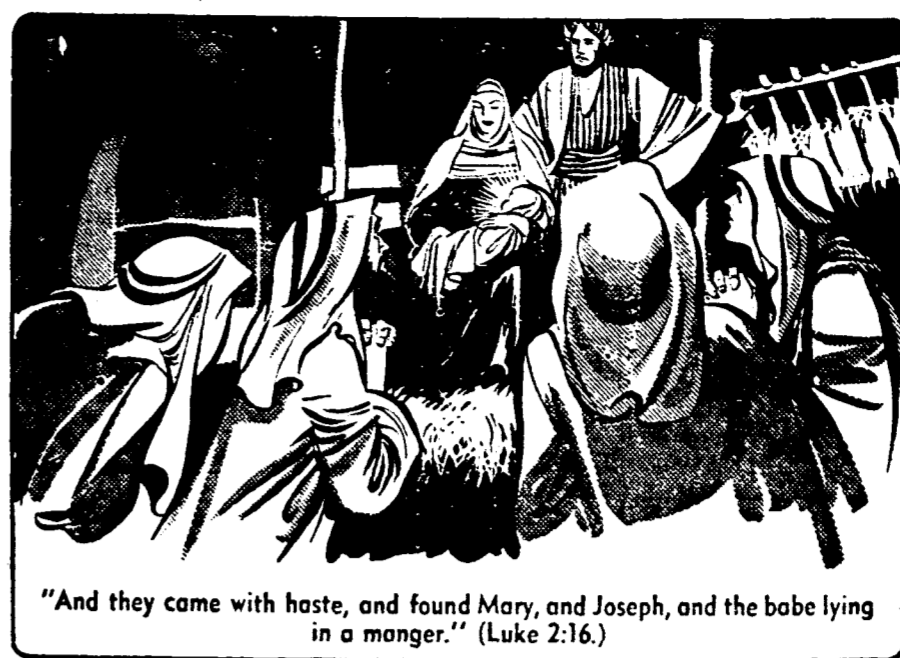
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The shepherds set out for Bethlehem, "to see this thing which is come to pass."

The Shepherds Come Worshipping



"And they came with haste, and found Mary, and Joseph, and the babe lying in a manger." (Luke 2:16)



"And when they had seen it, they made known abroad the saying which was told them concerning this child." (Luke 2:17.)

Always Room for One More



Burglars Steal \$500 At White Hall Store

Girl Injured In Auto And Truck Collision Monday

Jacqueline Dobson, 823 North Church street, was treated for cuts at Our Saviour's hospital after a traffic accident early Monday morning at West College avenue and Church street.

Miss Dobson, who was a passenger in a 1936 Plymouth coupe driven by Jane Bammann, 1256 South Main street, sustained cuts on her forehead and right hand. She was taken to her home by Lt. Stout and Patrolman Spencer after receiving treatment for her injuries.

The collision involved Miss Bammann's car, which was traveling south on Church street, and a Hofmann floral truck, going west on College avenue, driven by Harry Hofmann, Jr.

Police reported that the front end of the Bammann car was damaged, and was towed to the Stubbelfield garage. The floral company truck was damaged on its sides, and was towed to the Lukeman Motor Co. garage.

An automobile driven by Thomas Flynn, 418 Center street, and an Ideal Baking Company truck were damaged in a collision early Monday morning on South Main street. The car was moving south, and the bread truck was turning into the street, sustained cuts on her forehead and right hand. She was taken to her home by Lt. Stout and Patrolman Spencer after receiving treatment for her injuries.

Pleasant Plains

Man Injured In Crash Of Cars

Springfield—Paul Gentry, 39, of Pleasant Plains, suffered a possible fracture of his left leg and facial cuts when the car in which he was riding was involved in a collision on Route 4, three miles south of Springfield, Saturday night.

State police said Gentry was riding in a car driven by Buford Edwards, 29, of Pleasant Plains. The second car involved was driven by George Louis, 32, of Peoria. The cars side-swiped on a curve, police said. Gentry was admitted to St. John's hospital after the accident.

The most talkative character in all Shakespeare's works is Hamlet, who has 1659 lines to speak.

TRY A CLASSIFIED AD

DeMolays To Give Party For Mothers

A songfest, a 50c gift exchange, an entertainment, refreshments and games will characterize the Tuesday evening Christmas party to be given by the Louis Henry Clamptit chapter, Order of DeMolay, to the Mothers' Circle Tuesday at the Masonic Temple.

A business session in the lodge room will be held by the DeMolays at 7:00 p.m. The party is scheduled for 8 p.m.

In charge of the party are Edmund Vorhes, Warren Ferguson and Bill Jarrett; decorations, Robert Russell, Frank Auwarter and George Wild; clean-up, Edmund Vorhes, Warren Ferguson, Charles Huffman, Harold Toussaint, Jr., and Bill Jarrett; entertainment, Edmund Vorhes; songfest, Don Litter and Bill Query; gift exchange and refreshments, Bill Jarrett.

All members, mothers, advisers and members of the advisory council are urged to attend.

Mrs. Joy Hostess To Chapin Club

Chapin—Mrs. E. F. Joy entertained Chapin Women's club Nov. 22 with 16 members and three guests present. Guests were Miss Sarah Cowan, Miss Argie Joy and Mrs. Grover Smith. Roll call was "Your opinion of give away programs."

It was decided that the Dec. 13 meeting should be a potluck luncheon at the home of Mrs. James and Mrs. Alfred Anderson.

Mrs. Joy was appointed to see to the decorating of the room at Oak Lawn which the club furnished many years ago.

The hostess, who had the program, showed most interesting pictures of Bellingrath gardens at Mobile, also Natchez, Miss., Holland, Mich., and other places east and in Canada.

WHITE HALL

White Hall—Mrs. Ethel Ross and a group of White Hall members of the sorority of Delta Kappa Gamma were hosts at her home Friday night with a turkey dinner, to other members of the sorority. A Christmas party was enjoyed after the dinner with a gift exchange. Twenty-four members belong to the sorority, but only 16 were present at the party due to the icy condition of the highways.

Word has been received from William Singleton, a member of the police force in White Hall, that he is still undergoing tests and examinations at Hines hospital, Maywood, Ill.

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Dinner Served By Home Bureau At Chandlerville

Chandlerville — The Chandlerville Home Bureau met Friday with Mrs. George Cline, for a potluck dinner. Fifteen members answered roll call and joined in singing Christmas carols.

Mrs. George Milstead demonstrated how to mix and bake an angel food cake. Mrs. Lloyd Miller demonstrated seven minute icing. The cake was eaten by the members and pronounced very good. Mrs. Lloyd Miller demonstrated a special lesson "Glass Etching."

A Christmas gift exchange was enjoyed by all present.

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The following students of the Chandlerville high school have attained the honor roll for the second six weeks: Seniors: Jean Rae Grimes, Barbara Kennedy, Eva Marie Blair and Gayle Capper.

Juniors: Hazel Geiss, Helen Armstrong and June Waggoner.

Sophomores: Joe David McDonald, Charlotte Hunt, SuCarol Richardson.

Freshmen: Charles Pittman, Thelma Russell, Donald Dirks and Sue Hoon.

Plan Christmas Program

The following committees have been appointed for the Christmas program to be held at the Congregational church:

Program: Mrs. Otto Door, Misses Kathryn Mae Wahlfeld and Berdella Dyson. The primary teachers will also assist.

Decorations: Mrs. Paul H. Abbott, Mrs. Harry Reaves, Mrs. Robert Boensel and Mrs. Clarence Marcy.

Treats: Miss Lela Dyson, Gayle Capper and Pauline Phillips.



AUTO MISS—No, this isn't a new-type radiator cap for French cars, and you can't get her by tearing off three hub caps from your old car to send in with a down payment. The curvaceous owner, Maryse Delcourt, was elected "Miss Automobile of 1949" at a Paris night club. She also won the car.

November's Farm Prices Strike Parity Level

Urbana — For the first time in about 30 years, prices received by farmers have stood exactly at parity.

This unusual situation was reported Monday by L. H. Simerl, extension economist in the Illinois College of Agriculture. It happened just a month ago, during November.

Simerl says the records show no other month when prices were exactly at parity. Parity is a price level giving farm products the same buying power they had from 1910 to 1914.

Prices received by farmers have crossed the parity line only three times before in 25 years. All those times were in 1941, but never before have they stopped exactly at parity.

Before 1941 prices received by farmers had been below parity for 21 years, ever since 1920. From 1941 to last month, they were above parity.

Although the average of all prices received by farmers was at parity in November, the prices of most individual farm products were not. Corn, soybeans, eggs, and chickens were below 90 percent of parity. Wheat and hogs were at 90 percent of parity and butterfat stood at 93 percent. Milk was at the parity level. The only important Illinois farm product above parity was beef cattle — 148 percent.

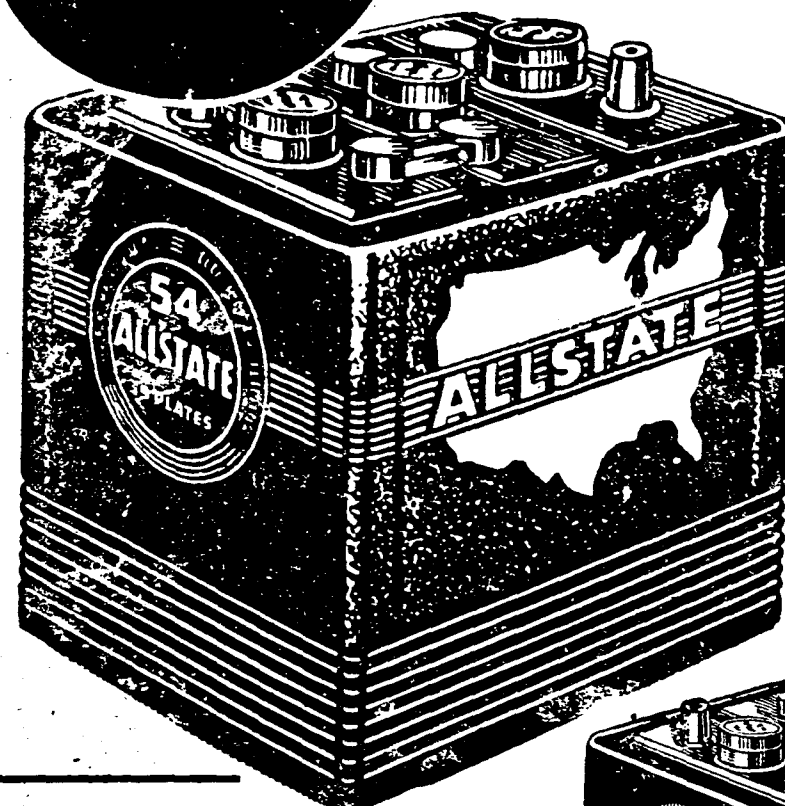
These prices are national averages. In most cases Illinois farmers received somewhat lower prices than for the whole country.

Simerl says Congress has ordered a general overhaul job on parity prices. The new system will be used after Jan. 1. Most parity prices will be raised, but a few will be lowered. The new parity prices probably will average about five percent higher than those now in effect.

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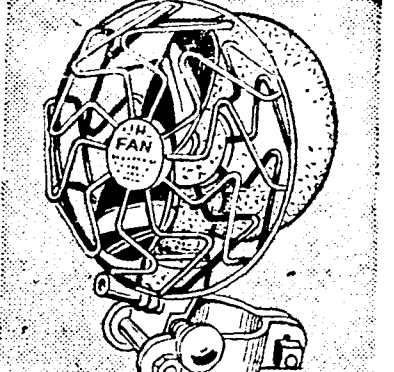


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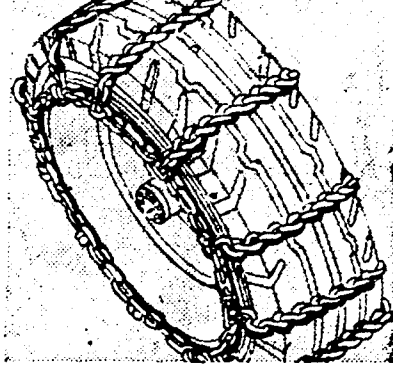


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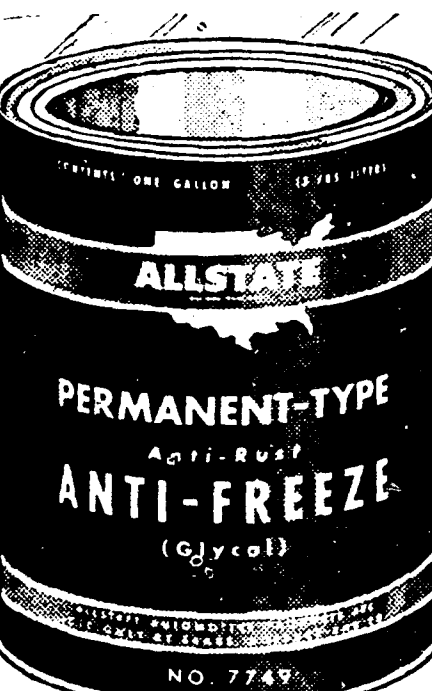


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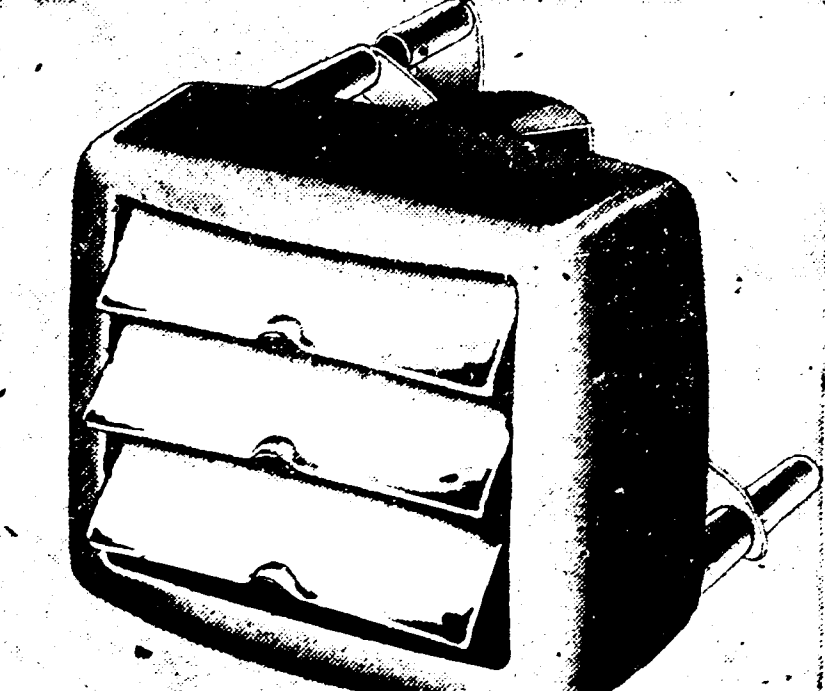
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City Escapes Storm; Modesto Child Killed

Jacksonville escaped the damaging windstorms which swept through several Illinois communities Sunday afternoon, but there was considerable evidence here that the elements were in a surly mood.

Coal black cloud formations passed over Morgan county during the afternoon without causing any damage. The temperature was abnormally high, going above 70 degrees. Sunday night brought an abrupt decline in temperature.

The stormy weather brought tragedy to the Modesto community in Macoupin county, where Junia Kay Loveless, nine year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Loveless, was killed about 4:30 p.m. when hit by lightning as she stood in the door of a smokehouse at the farm home three miles west of the town.

The hard wind and death of the child were reminiscent of the tornado in 1917, which almost leveled the entire village of Modesto, with a loss of several lives.

The child's body was taken to the Stults Funeral Home at Palmyra. She is survived by her parents; two brothers, James and Richard; three sisters, Margaret, Jean and Ann, all at home.

A severe electrical storm at Waverly between 4 and 4:30 p.m. was followed by a hard wind and heavy rain.

LEAVE FOR FLORIDA

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gabehart of Springfield spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Owen McGill, and then left for Tampa, Fla., where they will spend their holiday vacation.

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One Jacksonville man stated that for 10 years he felt like he had a rock in his stomach. This feeling was due to the lump of undigested food he always had inside of him. His food would turn to gas. Recently he started taking CERTA-VIN and says the feeling like a rock in his stomach disappeared the second day. Now his food agrees with him, no more gas and he feels like a new man.

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Selway-Northrop Vows Exchanged At Winchester

Glasgow—Miss Marilyn Northrop, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Northrop of Glasgow, and Maurice Selway, son of Mrs. Mary Murphy of Winchester, were married in a simple ceremony Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

The wedding vows were spoken in front of the fireplace in the home of the bridegroom's uncle and aunt, Dr. and Mrs. Paul Garrison in Winchester, with Rev. Ralph Jasper, pastor of the Winchester Methodist church, conducting the ceremony before a small gathering of relatives. Two vases of gladioli, and chrysanthemums prettily decorated the mantle of the fireplace.

Serving as best man for the bridegroom was Lynn Northrop of Jacksonville, brother of the bride, with the bridesmaid being Miss Daisy Hughtell also of Jacksonville.

The bride was attractively attired in navy blue, with white accessories. She also wore a white hat, with a navy off-the-face veil, and a corsage of red roses. The bridesmaid was attired in black, with white accessories, and wore a corsage of white roses.

Following the ceremony, the wedding party and guests were served light refreshments in the dining room of the Garrison home.

Both the bride and groom are graduates of the Winchester Community high school. The groom is now employed with the Singer Sewing Machine Co. in Jacksonville. The bride has been employed as secretary and stenographer for County Judge L. Allen Watt in Winchester. They have a furnished apartment at 137 W. Chambers in Jacksonville where they will reside.

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CONGRESSMAN SIMPSON ADDRESSES L.W.V.



A plea for a greater personal interest in government and the preservation of the two-party system featured an address given Friday night by Congressman Sid Simpson. Shown, left to right, are Mrs. of Carrollton at a dinner meeting of George J. Carpenter, president of the Jacksonville chapter, League of the League, Congressman Simpson, Mrs. Simpson and Mr. Carpenter.

TO WED JAN. 31



MISS CONNIE RYAN

Announcement has been made by Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ryan of Franklin of the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Connie, to Verne Bergschneider, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bergschneider of Alexander.

The wedding will take place Jan. 31 at Sacred Heart church in Franklin.

Cards of Thanks

We wish to thank friends for their kindness during the illness and after the death of Mrs. Mattie Jackson. Also for floral tributes.

America Norvell
Virginia Mallory
William Norvell, Jr.

To the relatives and friends of the deceased Florence Kirk King: We wish to thank you for your kind words and kindness shown to us in our hour of great sorrow. We thank you for everything and may God bless each one of you and yours.

Carl E. King
John W. King

Lost and Found

LOST—Black calf with white face. R. P. Wilson, Chaplin, Ill. 12-7-6t-AM

UNDER TREATMENT
Mrs. J. M. McCarty, 704 Fayette street, Springfield, has entered Our Saviour's hospital here for observation and treatment.

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Former R. A. F. Pilot Engaged To Manage Municipal Airport

Frank C. Hoffman, Jr., a former pilot in the R.A.F. Ferry Command, has been engaged as the operator and manager of the new Jacksonville Municipal Airport, according to an announcement made Monday by W. H. Kurtz, chairman of the board of commissioners of the Jacksonville Airport Authority.

Hoffman, though only thirty-five years of age, has had much experience in aviation. He is a native of New York, where after attending Pulver Institute Business College, he worked at Roosevelt and Jamaica Sea airports for flying time. He took further flight training at the Edwards Flying School at Flushing Airport, Flushing, Long Island, and in 1936 he organized a flight service and training school at Floyd Bennett Field. In 1939, when the Navy took over Bennett Field, Hoffman moved his ships to the Staten Island Airport and conducted operations from there.

Acquainted in Jacksonville
For a time Hoffman was connected with the "Lucky" Harris Air Show and barnstormed throughout the middlewest. During this period he became acquainted with Jacksonville and made this city his base of operations. He left here in 1941, before the U. S. had become involved in the war, to accept a commission in the Royal Air Force ferrying planes of all types from aircraft factories to bases of operation. He made many trans-oceanic flights, piloting heavy bombers, and during his service with the British he was called upon to fly more than one hundred different types of military planes.

Shortly after the United States entered the war, Hoffman returned to this country to become chief flight instructor for White's Flying Service at Phoenix, Arizona, where a war training program was getting underway. In April of 1943 he was released from his instructor's duties at White's to become a test pilot for the Glenn L. Martin company at Baltimore. He remained with the Martin company, testing PBM's, large navy flying boats, and B-26's, army medium bombers, until 1946 when he was released due to cut-backs in plane production. In February of 1946 Hoffman became associated with the Edo Aircraft corporation as an engineering test pilot on an experimental seaplane, but in September of 1947 he was called back to Martin's to test their new twin-engine 202's, designed for airline use. While with the Martin company he also did flight research at the Naval Air Test Center, Patuxent River, Maryland. When Martin's again reduced personnel in March of this year, Hoffman joined the Tyler Flight Service in conducting aerial spraying operations.

Member of Flying Group
Hoffman is a member of the Institute of Aeronautical Sciences, the U. S. Flight Instructors Association, and is a charter member of the Baltimore chapter of the National Aeronautic Association of the U.S.A.

Despite a decided limp which resulted from a severe polio attack when he was a boy, Hoffman has not been handicapped in his aviation career. He is enthusiastic about the future of flying and believes that the municipal airport can be developed into a fine air center to serve the community.

Hoffman and his wife have three sons and reside at 339 East Michigan Avenue.

Barbara King To Wed James Tuey

Carrollton — Mr. and Mrs. Ben King have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Barbara, to James Tuey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Tuey of this city. The wedding will take place in the near future.

Both Miss King and Tuey are graduates of the Carrollton high school. Miss King graduating in 1949 and Tuey in 1943. Tuey is engaged in farming with his father north of Carrollton.

Today's Crossword Puzzle

Asiatic Deer

Answer to Previous Puzzle

1 Depicted	1 Seasoned	27 Labor	43 Secrete
2 Type of	2 Interstice	28 Preposition	44 Half an em
3 Asiatic deer	3 Fashion	39 Tractable	45 Seaweed
4 Its antlers	4 Bushel (ab.)	34 Speaker	46 Remove
5 It is found	5 It is found	36 Tidier	47 Mentally
6 Tear	6 Tear	37 Natural fats	52 Two (prefix)
7 Liquid	7 Liquid	41 Time period	54 Providing
8 Individuals	8 Individuals	42 Solar disk	
9 Exists	9 Exists		
10 Seines	10 Seines		
11 Tracks	11 Tracks		
12 Dwarfs	12 Dwarfs		
13 Waken	13 Waken		
14 Put in	14 Put in		
15 Conducted	15 Conducted		
16 Empty	16 Empty		
17 Greek letter	17 Greek letter		
18 Pedal digit	18 Pedal digit		
19 Mine	19 Mine		
20 entrances	20 entrances		
21 Misdeed	21 Misdeed		
22 Hebrew deity	22 Hebrew deity		
23 Lieutenant	23 Lieutenant		
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24 Venture	24 Venture		
27 Throw	27 Throw		
29 Measure of	29 Measure of		
area	area		
30 Atop	30 Atop		
31 Mixed type	31 Mixed type		
32 Pronoun	32 Pronoun		
33 Prescribed	33 Prescribed		
amount of	amount of		
medicine	medicine		
35 Single	35 Single		
38 Correlative of	38 Correlative of		
either	either		
39 Plural ending	39 Plural ending		
40 Feline	40 Feline		
animal	animal		
42 In front	42 In front		
47 Rested	47 Rested		
48 Follower	48 Follower		
49 Tint	49 Tint		
50 Goddess of	50 Goddess of		
infatuation	infatuation		
51 Domineered	51 Domineered		
53 Straightener	53 Straightener		
55 Stout	55 Stout		
56 Mentions	56 Mentions		

Dedicate Chapel With Impressive Services

Dr. Henry Noble MacCracken, president emeritus of Vassar College, made the principal address at the dedicatory services for MacMurray College's new Annie Merner Chapel on Sunday. The title of Dr. MacCracken's address was: "If You Continue."

"Truth," said Dr. MacCracken, "is the only force that can cast out fear. This search for truth is also the characteristics of all education, in which the student, by continuing association, finds the inherent truth, comes to trust it, gives himself to it, and knowing its truth becomes free, not free from it, but in it. This continuance and persistent purpose is the truth in religion, he concluded.

"Again and again you will wish to come here until continuance in His word brings its reward. For knowledge is the experience. 'Your chapel' he told the audience, 'is a new element in which you may grow in knowledge and love of God. Continue in His word. There is no other way to truth.'

Funeral Services For G.W. Thompson At Chandlerville

Chandlerville.—Funeral rites for George W. Thompson, 73, were held Sunday at 2 p.m. at the Fairview Methodist church, with Rev. William T. Ray officiating.

Burial was made in the Fairview cemetery with Lintner & Sons Funeral Service in charge.

Pallbearers were Raymond Finch, Gilbert Finch, Fred Hoesman, Harry Sanders, William Snyder and Frank Siltman.

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MONTGOMERY WARD

Greenfield Junior Class Names Cast For Annual Play

Greenfield—Mrs. B. Bennett, director of the high school junior class play "Crashing Society," a farce comedy in three acts, has selected the following cast and practice began Monday, Myron Cox, Mary Meyer, Delephene Stone, Bob Witt, Norma Middleton, Ralph Longmeyer, Harold Cannedy, Barbara Clark, Phil Johnson, Lorna Longmeyer, Joanne Steele and John Chapman. The date of the performance has not been set.

Home Bureau Elects Officers

Twenty five members and two guests attended the business session of the annual luncheon and Christmas party held Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Andrew Dalton. The following officers were elected: chairman, Mrs. Dalton; vice chairman, Miss Layetta Hayes; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Lee Witt; recreation chairman, Mrs. Russell Riggs; publicity, Mrs. Fred Wagner; health, Mrs. Charles Schirz; major leaders, Mrs. James Ford, Mrs. Charles Barton, Mrs. Byron Hill, and Mrs. Roy Hettick; minor leaders, Mrs. Fred Wagner, Mrs. Ted Rexroad, Mrs. Lloyd Fansler and Mrs. Edwin Heber.

Royal Arch Chapter Masons Elect

The following officers have been elected in the local Royal Arch Chapter Masonic Chapter No. 186: Excellent High Priest, George P. Entrek; King, Kenneth S. Parks;

Scribe, F. Harold Garrison; Treasurer, Jesse B. Parks; Secretary, Hugh A. Shields; Capt. of Hosts, Grover L. Bauer; Principal Sojourner, Virgil A. Bauer; Royal Arch Captain, Amos Greer; Master 3 Veil, Fred W. Burnham; Master 2 Veil, Willard Hamilton; Master 1 Veil, Ralph Haven.

The annual installation of the officers of the Chapter and Masonic Lodge and oyster banquet will be served Christmas week.

Return To Ohio Home

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Bowman of Dayton, Ohio, and Dr. and Mrs. Harold Bowman of Wichita, Kansas, have returned home after being called here by the death of their mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Bowman, whose funeral service was held in the Presbyterian church here Wednesday afternoon, Rev. W. C. Meeker of Jacksonville officiated and interment was in Oakwood cemetery. Coach and Mrs. Don Luketich spent Wednesday evening visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Luketich in Roxana.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Byrd M. Fraser et al. to Roy William Johnson lot 2 in Scott subdivision, city.

Charles H. Pees to Hardin H. Moore north third of lot 16 in Lambert north addition, city.

David A. Smith to Sam Marx lots 22 and 25 and part lot 21 in Duncan Grove addition, city.

An atom is ten trillion to one hundred trillion times smaller than a man, according to the Encyclopedia Britannica.

Glasgow Mothers To Make Capes For Rhythm Band

Glasgow—All women of the Glasgow P.T.A. and mothers of school children are asked to meet at the Glasgow schoolhouse Wednesday night, Dec. 14, at 7:15 o'clock, to help make capes and scarves for the school's Rhythm band. Those attending should bring coarse thread, needle and scissors.

Glasgow Cemetery Donations

Recent donations to the Glasgow Cemetery association fund are listed, as follows: Alex Young, Glasgow, \$10; Alsey Smith, Glasgow, \$2; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Orris, Alton, \$3; Adams Brothers, Winchester, \$15; Mr. and Mrs. Estele Cowper, Glasgow, \$10.

Induct Eastern Star Officers At Hillview Meeting

White Hall—Hillview O.E.S., chapter 981, held installation of officers for the ensuing year on Thursday at 7:30 p.m. The new officers are:

Worthy matron, Nora Friend; worthy patron, Christian Friend; associate matron, Helen Silkwood; secretary, Mary Alice Page; treasurer, Bess Bowman; conductor, Helen Ruth Shafer; associate conductor, Lillie Richey; chaplain, Clara Linzy; marshal, Leona McEvers; organist, Mildred Dawdy.

The five points of the star include Leta Rose Dunlap as Ada, Violet Powell as Ruth, Hilda Angle as Mrs. Esther, Lois Jane McCaherty as Martha, Freda Patton as Electa, Warder Buell Ford, sentinel, Virgil Dunlap.

The installing officers were worthy matron, Edith Clark, Hillview; marshal, Ruth Robinson, Murrayville; color bearer, Alma Dunlap, Hillview; chaplain, Alma Dunlap, Hillview; organist, Verna Wood.

After the installation chili pie and coffee were served. On Monday Dec. 12 the chapter will hold a school of instruction, with the afternoon session at 2:30 with a potluck supper at 6 and the evening session at 7:30. Gilda Woods of East St. Louis will serve as instructor.

It Pays To Read The Ads

ASHLAND

Ashland—The American Legion Auxiliary is collecting old tops again this year for distribution among the needy children in this city. The collection was such a success last year, and it is hoped that the affair will be bigger this year.

Carl Jurgens has been admitted to St. John's hospital, Springfield, as a medical patient.

Mrs. Alice Reiser has returned to her home from St. John's hospital, Springfield, where she was a surgical patient.

Charles Holmes has returned home from a few days' visit in Rock Island with his nieces and nephews.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bailey and daughter Lorene attended the funeral services of Mrs. Bailey's uncle, John Baumgartner, held Thursday afternoon in Astoria. He was 96 years of age.

Lloyd Mullen of Fort Warren, Wyo., arrived here this week, being called by the serious illness of his father, Howard Mullen, who is in St. John's hospital, Springfield.

Mrs. Glynn Jones and Mrs. Bert Fitzsimmons entertained the D.P.L. club at the turkey supper at the Methodist church last Wednesday night and then went to the home of Mrs. Jones to have their Christmas party. An exchange of gifts was enjoyed by the 14 present.

Mrs. Anna Eads has been admitted to St. John's hospital, Springfield.

NEW BERLIN

New Berlin—Santa will arrive at 2 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 17, for the second annual Christmas party sponsored by the Men's Civic club at Wabash Park. All the children of the community are invited, and all will receive presents.

Miss Wilma Pfeiffer was hostess to the Mu Beta club at her home Monday night. Four tables of contract bridge were played, and Mrs. Mary Kirby, Miss Marilyn Hayes, Mrs. Jean Abernathy and Miss Gay Young held scores.

Mrs. McMillan was hostess to the Liverpool Rummy club Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. John Hanrahan, who is not able to leave her home.

The American Legion and Auxiliary met in the Legion Hall Monday night.

Mrs. F. M. Taylor, John Ridd, Howard Perry, Earl Coulter, and Miss Grace Foutch drove to St. Louis Tuesday and were dinner guests of Mrs. Taylor's sister, Mrs. C. M. Nelson.

The Christmas party of the Pinnacle club was held at the home of Mrs. George Bergschneider Wednesday. Following an elaborate dinner, gifts were exchanged, and two tables of pinochle were played. Mrs. McMillan, Mrs. Gebhardt and Mrs. Schauld held scores.

The Bates New Berlin Missionary society met with Mrs. Howard Perry Thursday. Mrs. Earl Coulter was devotional leader and Mrs. Leigh Cox program leader.

The Jolly Neighbors met at the home of Mrs. Warren Lawrence Thursday. A dessert lunch was followed by the exchange of gifts and the playing of buicko. Fourteen women attended.

The Royal Neighbors lodge met at the home of Mrs. Blanche Bergschneider Thursday night for a Christmas party.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dipple and mother, Mrs. Henry Dipple, were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Challens in Jacksonville Friday.

Miss Pat Fulton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fulton, recently became a pledge of the Beta Epsilon chapter of the Sigma Sigma sorority at Macomb's Western Illinois state college.

MURRAYVILLE

Murrayville—Mrs. Harry Rimbey was hostess Friday evening to the Dorcas class of the Methodist Sunday school at its Christmas party, at which 17 were present. Various games were played, and refreshments were served in keeping with the season.

Mrs. Harry Gollier attended a Jacksonville birthday party Tuesday evening in honor of her granddaughter, Rebecca Crouse, who is 12 years old. Games were played between 6 and 8 p. m., and refreshments were served.

Mrs. John H. Denham has returned to her Weir, Kansas, home after an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Curtis, and other relatives, including her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Milo Curtis. The latter couple were guests in the home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sherwin of Glasgow spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Spencer.

Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Murray of St. Louis were here Wednesday visiting his mother, Mrs. D. E. Murray.

G. E. Boserker, who has been ill for several months, is reported to be in a critical condition.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Sooy have spent the past two weeks visiting Mrs. Sooy's sisters, Mrs. E. L. McPeck and family and Miss Bess Haynes in Terre Haute, Ind. They have also been guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Haynes, and family at Carlinville.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Walsh and Miss Alice Angelo spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Worrall and family northwest of here.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Morrow of Greenfield have moved to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Stansfield, for the winter months.

Harold and Wayne Boserker of Peoria, Mrs. Lewis Wildrick of Carthage, Mrs. Hazel Sexton and Mrs. Frank Lonergan of Jacksonville, Mrs. Carl Sooy and Mrs. Ed Coumbes were all called here Friday by the death of their father, G. E. Boserker.

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Virginia O.E.S. Installs Officers In Public Meeting

Virginia — Miss Mary Margaret Blackburn was installed as worthy matron of the Adah Robinson chapter of Eastern Star at a public installation held following the regular meeting at the Masonic hall Wednesday evening. Installing officer was Miss Catherine Collins, a past matron.

The chapter room was decorated with Christmas greens and candles. Music was furnished by the Virginians, local male quartet, and Lee Tanner, soloist.

Mrs. Hattie Monson, the outgoing worthy matron, was presented the Past Matron's jewel by Mrs. William Petefish.

Morgan Pastor To Speak

Rev. Lewis N. Raymond of the State Street Presbyterian church of Jacksonville will be the guest speaker at the Presbyterian Men's Club on Dec. 15, at 6:30 p.m. in the Presbyterian church dining room. Officers will be elected and all members are urged to attend.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet with Mrs. I. S. she suffered bruises and possibly Yapple on Tuesday, Dec. 13, at 2 p.m. torn ligaments to the hip. It will worship leader, Mrs. H. Sinclair; necessitate her staying off her leg program leader, Mrs. Frank Bruno.

Hostesses for the meeting will be Miss Lillie Gustafson, Mesdames Alfred Harrison, C. H. Nocker, James Fox.

The Virginia Community chorus under the direction of Mrs. Franklin Watkins will present a public cantata entitled "The Story of Christmas" on Sunday, Dec. 18, at 8 p.m. The chorus is made up of 28 members.

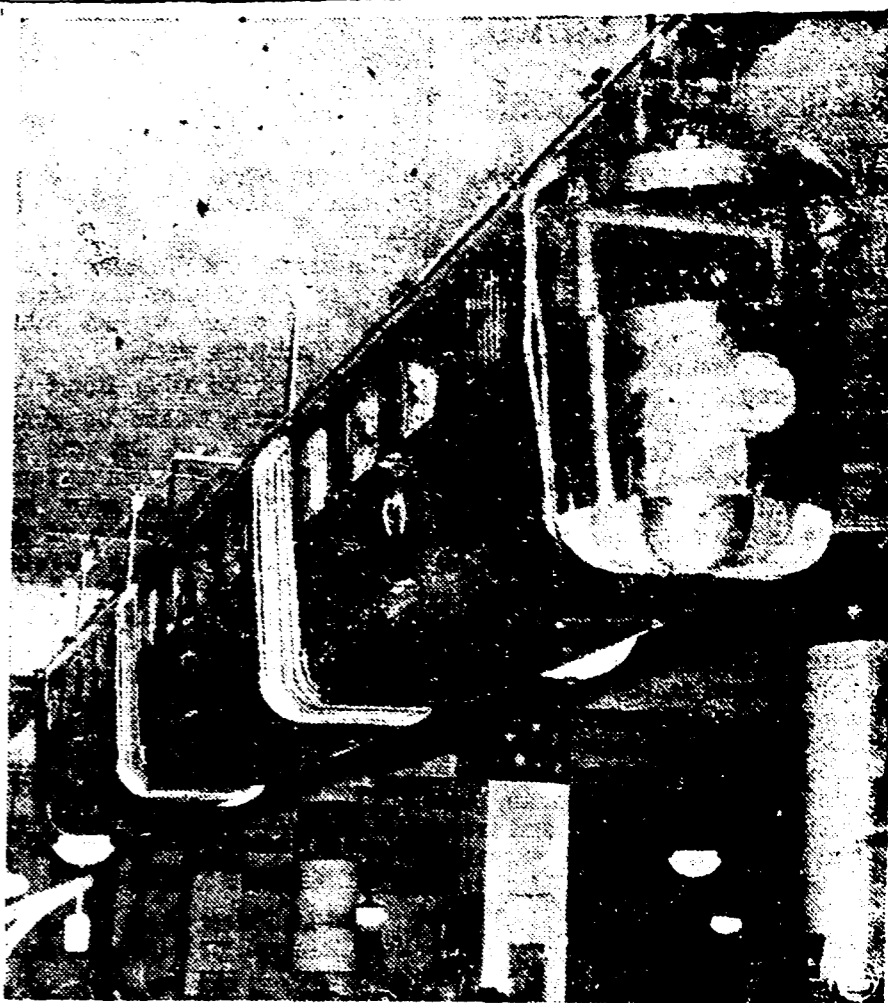
The Capsule Sisters of the Virginia Christian church will hold their Christmas party on Tuesday, Dec. 13, at the home of Mrs. Charles Smith. Mrs. Arthur Wildt will assist.

The Evangelia class of the Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Howard Brunk on Dec. 15 for a potluck supper and gift exchange. Assistant hostess is Mrs. Wilma Bennett.

WHITE HALL

White Hall—Mrs. Minnie Seymour of Scottville is visiting her son, Alton P. Seymour and Mrs. Seymour here.

Miss Daisy Mash, who is living at the home of her brother Albert and wife since her return from a Jacksonville hospital for surgery of a fractured hip, had an accident on Friday night at which time the same hip was injured. The roller chair which she occupies turned over and Service will meet with Mrs. I. S. she suffered bruises and possibly Yapple on Tuesday, Dec. 13, at 2 p.m. torn ligaments to the hip. It will worship leader, Mrs. H. Sinclair; necessitate her staying off her leg program leader, Mrs. Frank Bruno.

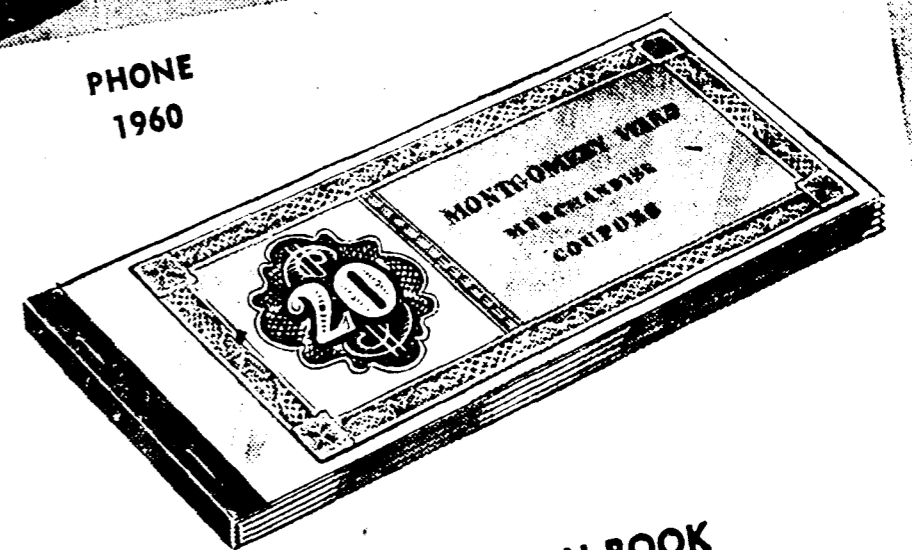


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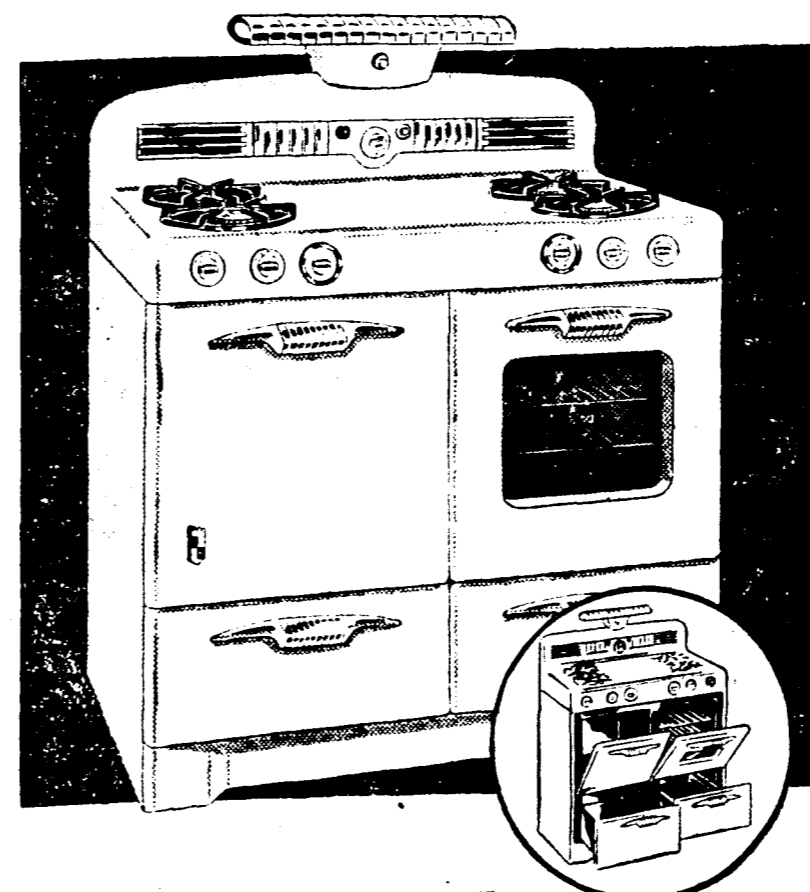
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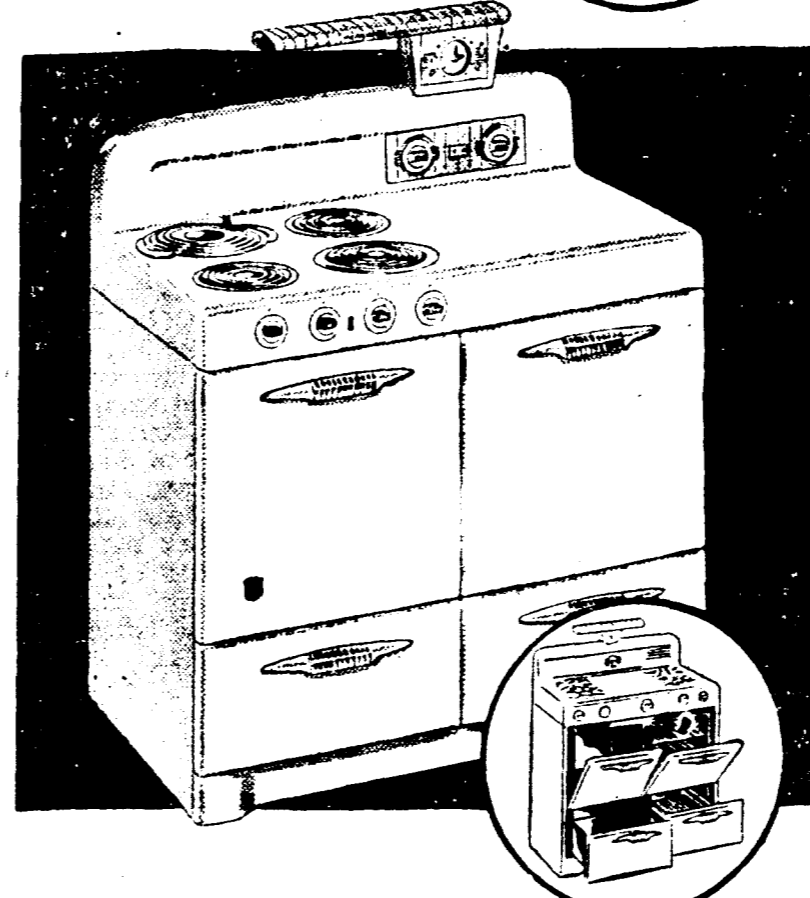
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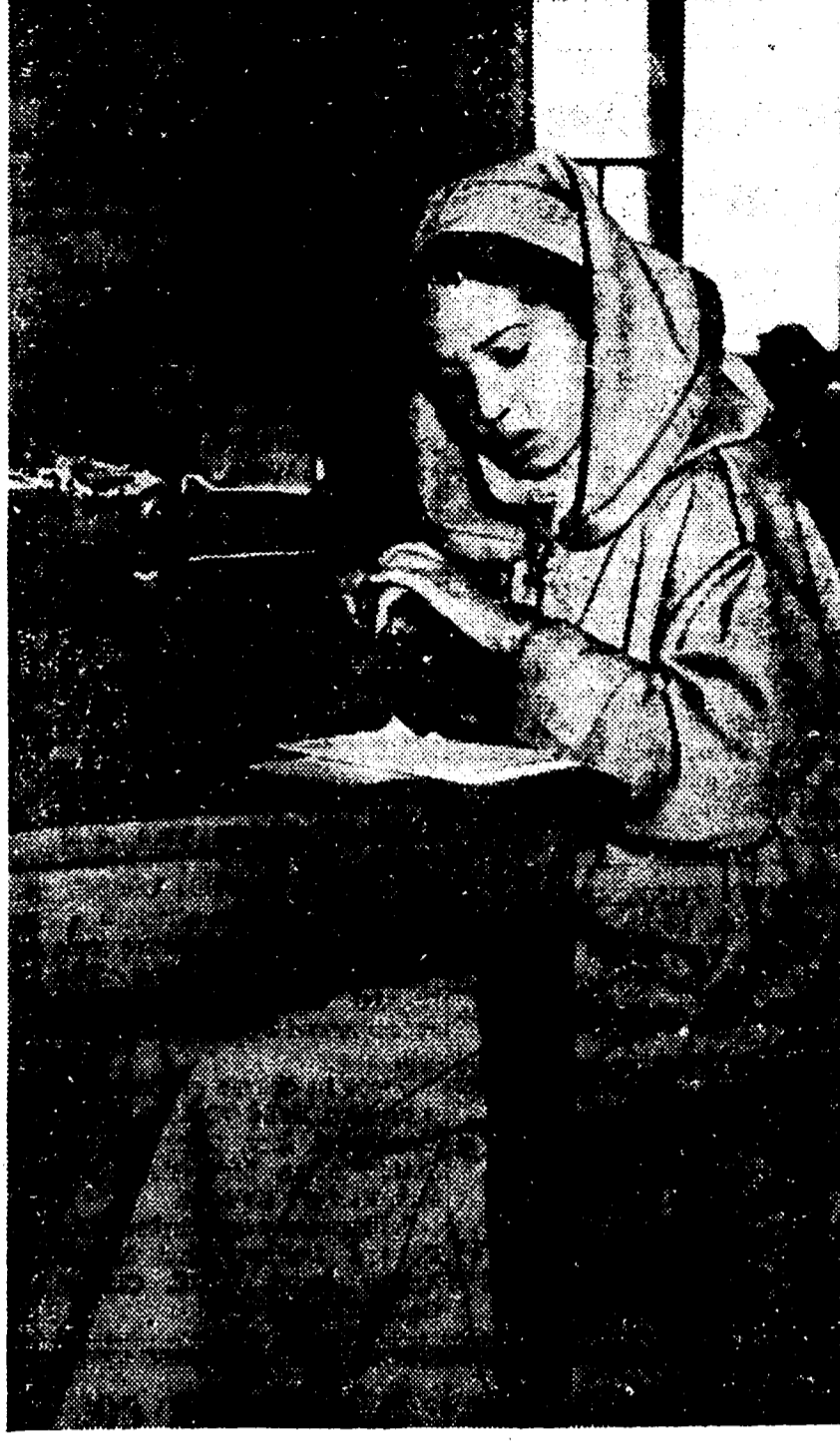
News of the World in Pictures



DATE HARVEST TIME at Desert Treasures ranch near Tucson, Ariz., brings Betty Mae Reeves out to fill basket with dates.



PUERTO RICAN DRILLER bores into the hard rock at a limestone quarry near San Juan for materials to make cement.



STUDIOUSLY MASTERING the mysteries of typewriting in Rabat, Morocco, is Lalle Malika, daughter of a chieftain.

PLEASANT PRESENTS

NOVEL IDEA in wrapping gift packages for Christmas is to make a tiny Yuletide angel and hide gifts such as hosiery or perfume under the skirts. Constructing the angel is not difficult. Materials needed are sheets of cellophane, light cardboard, cellophane tape, pipe cleaners, marshmallows, ribbon, spool of fine wire or thread and colored crayons.



Base of angel is cone made from quarter of 20-inch cardboard disc. Cut hole out of cellophane and drape over cone, securing with tape. Head is a cellophane marshmallow.



AN AMERICAN LAD in the American sector of Berlin hands contribution of a toy to Charles Ing at Roosevelt military barracks, during toy drive for underprivileged Germans.



WILD HORSE NAMED "DESERT DUST," one of a herd of Palominos, pauses picturesquely in the Red Desert of Wyoming.



For arms, bend two pipe cleaners at right angles three inches from one end, then fasten to neck with wire. Hide loose ends of pipe cleaners in point of cone, along with cellophane ends.



To finish skirt, pick up each cellophane circle in center, handkerchief fashion, pinch together at top, and fasten at front, back and sides. Make bodice of small cardboard cone.



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ment of the Methodist church Wed-
nesday evening for their December
meeting. Mrs. Clarence Duerwerf
served as hostess. A hot lunch dinner
was enjoyed. The home adviser, Mrs.
Frances King, gave the major les-
son on planning and serving meals.
The minor lesson was given by Mrs.
Charles Gibson on "Hobbies For Dif-
ferent age groups."

Four new members, Mrs. Milford
Seymour, Mrs. Prince Francis, Mrs.
Chester Tannahill and Mrs. Claren-
ce Duerwerf, were welcomed.

Following the meeting a gift ex-
change was held. The next meeting
will be held Jan. 6 with Mrs. Colla
Oxley as hostess. Each member is
asked to bring something for a silent
auction.

The Missionary society of the
Christian church convened at the
home of Mrs. LeRoy Sweet Thursday
afternoon. A one o'clock luncheon
was held. Roll call was a Bible verse.
Papers were read by Mrs. Anna
Mansfield, Mrs. Elsie Calswell, Mrs.
Lorena Wynn, Mrs. Bonita Jolly, and
Mrs. Geneva Sweet. Devotions were
in charge of Mrs. Irene Campbell.

Mrs. Minnie Sweet had charge of
Hidden Answers and Christmas
Hymns were played by Mrs. Crow.

Home Bureau Unit Elects Officers

White Hall—The Day Unit of the
White Hall Home Bureau met on
Thursday afternoon at the home of
Mrs. Frank McCollister with Mrs.
A. R. McCollister and Mrs. Julian
Hutchens assisting the hostess.
Twenty members, two associate
members and two associate mem-
bers and two guests were present
and Mrs. McCollister and Mrs. Hutch-
ens gave the major lesson on "Saunders
to Compliment the Dish," and Mrs.
Louis Spangenberg the minor lesson
"Choosing Good Magazines for the
Home."

Election of officers for the ensuing
year was held with the following
elected: chairman, Mrs. Floyd Cum-
mings, vice chairman Mrs. Jane
Neece; secretary and treasurer, Mrs.
Julian Hutchens. Major leaders for

Ulys Davidson Of Chapin Dies Here Monday

Ulys Davidson, a well known
Chapin resident, died Monday morn-
ing at 11:55 o'clock at Passavant
hospital, where he had been a pa-
tient since Nov. 30.

Mr. Davidson was born in Granger,
Tenn., on Jan. 20, 1901, son of T. H.
and Reda Davidson. He was united
in marriage with Hazel Adams of
this city on Oct. 18, 1945.

Besides his wife he leaves his
father, now residing at Morristown,
Tenn., two sisters, Mrs. John Rankin
of Chapin and Mrs. Pierce Rankin
of Knoxville, Tenn.

Mr. Davidson was proprietor of a
trucking service out of Chapin for a
number of years. He was a member
of the Methodist church, and the
Jacksonville Elks lodge.

The remains are at the Williamson
Funeral Home. Services will be held
at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday at the Chap-
in Methodist church, with interment
in Chapin cemetery.

The body will be removed to the
residence at 4 p.m. Tuesday, and
friends may call until time for the
services.

Bosecker Rites At Murrayville

Murrayville—Many relatives and
friends attended the funeral ser-
vices in memory of Grover E. Bo-
secker, held at 2 p. m. Sunday in
the Murrayville Baptist church. Rev.
Ollie Phillips of White Hall officiated.

Mrs. Hope Willis and Mrs. Joyce
Wetherbee sang, accompanied by
Miss Sula Smith.

Floral offerings were in charge of
Mrs. Mable Tate, Mrs. Mary Loner-
gan, Mrs. Phyllis Dobson, Mrs. Mable
Sturdy, Mrs. Olive Sturdy, Mrs. Kay
Early, Mrs. Thelma Bodishbaugh,
and Miss Marlene Coubes.

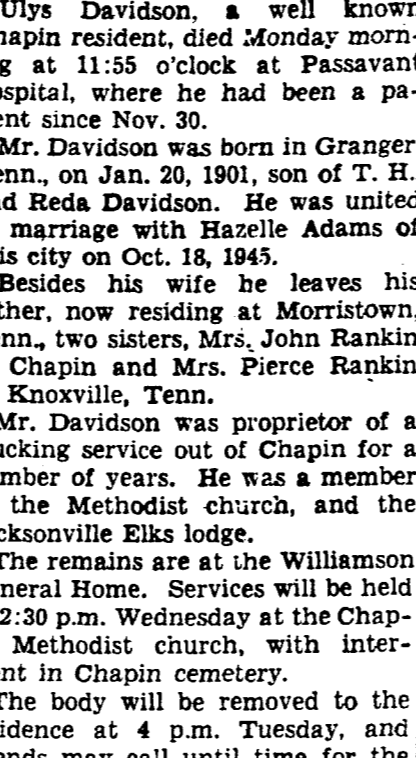
Casket bearers were Lewis Tate,
Oliver Sooy, Jess Fields, L. G. Crouse,
James Mason, and R. J. Blimling.
Burial was in the Murrayville
cemetery.

AT SPARGER FUNERAL
Mr. and Mrs. Loren W. Cammon
of Olney, Ill., were in the city Mon-
day to attend the funeral services
for their brother-in-law, Fenton
Sparger.

Mr. Cammon has been a biology
instructor in the Olney High school
since graduating from Illinois Col-
lege in 1934. He was a lieutenant in
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Victor Haven, Editor At Greenfield, Dies

Greenfield—Victor H. Haven, 88,
publisher of the Greenfield Argus
since 1884, died Monday morning at
3:45 o'clock at Boyd Memorial Hos-
pital in Carrollton. He is believed to
have been the oldest active news-
paperman in Illinois.

The last of nine children, he was
born Nov. 2, 1861, on a farm north-
west of Greenfield, in the western
part of Macoupin county.

He was postmaster under Presi-
dent Arthur, former treasurer of the
Illinois Press Association from
Greene county, county clerk, mem-
ber of the old Greenfield band of
which he served as treasurer for
many years, the oldest businessman
on the square, and is said to have
been the oldest newspaperman in
Illinois.

His father was once publisher of
the Greenfield Argus. In 1884 he
took over and had been editor ever
since.

Mr. Haven was a member of the
Greenfield Masonic lodge, A.F. & A.M.
No. 129, and Royal Arch Chapter
No. 186.

On Oct. 22, 1899, he was united
in marriage with Lydia E. Wahl, who
survives, with one son, Glenn W.
Haven, co-editor of the paper with
his father, and one granddaughter,
Mrs. Joe D. Kelly of St. Louis, Mo.

The body was removed from the
Shield Memorial Home to the resi-
dence Monday evening. The funeral
will be at the family residence Wed-
nesday at 2:30 p.m. Rev. George O.
Mayo officiating. Interment will be
in Oakwood cemetery.

Business houses will be closed dur-
ing the funeral service.

The pallbearers will be E. L. Mid-
dleton, Jesse B. Parks, Virgil Bauer,
Martin Roth, C. N. Morrow, and
Charles P. Entekin, all of whom
are businessmen and Masons.

Local Man Held After Collision In Sangamon

A charge of reckless driving was
filed against Charles Sitton, 24 year
old Jacksonville man, after a head-
on collision of automobiles in San-
gamon county Saturday night. Sit-
ton, who is held in the Sangamon
county jail under \$1,000 bond, also
was accused of operating an automo-
bile without a driver's license.

The Jacksonville man's car was
involved in a collision with another
driven by Glenn Miller of Spring-
field at a point about a mile north-
west of Curran.

Sitton received a cut on his fore-
head in the accident. A passenger in
his car, Charles Mullins, 22, of Jack-
sonville, came to this city for treat-
ment for facial cuts.

The charge of reckless driving
against Sitton was brought by Mil-
ler, and the complaint of driving
without license was filed by State
Patrolman Frank Metzger.

The defendant will be given a
hearing Tuesday afternoon in the
court of Police Magistrate W. D.
Conway.

Holiday Events At School Of Nursing

Holiday events at Our Saviour's
hospital and School of Nursing
which have been scheduled to date
are as follows:

Dec. 13—Dinner for the medical
staff at 12 noon, followed by election
of officers. Dinner for the graduate
nurse staff, 6:00 p. m.

Meeting of the graduate nurses of
Jacksonville at Our Saviour's nur-
ses' home, 7:30 p. m.

Dec. 15—Jacksonville high school
carolers under the direction of Miss
Lena Hopper, during the morning.

Alumnae dinner at Hamilton cafe,
6:45 p. m.

Dec. 20—Carolling by Our Sav-
iour's student nurse choir and Routt
high school glee club under the di-
rection of Mrs. Alta Elsch, 8:40 p. m.

Christmas party for faculty and
students, seniors hostesses, 8:00 p. m.

Dec. 21—Christmas party for em-
ployes of the hospital 7:30 p. m.

Dec. 22—Beginning of holiday re-
cess during which each student has
three days off.

Carolling by Routt high school
glee club and student nurse choir,
3:40 p. m.

Dec. 25—Mass for Christmas, mu-
sic to be sung by Our Saviour's stu-
dent nurse choir.

Jan. 3—Resumption of classes.

MELVIN SMITHS RETURN

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Smith have
returned to their home on East State
street, from Chicago, where they
had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. R.
Fernandes and family.

Social Events

Baptist Couples Attend Xmas Party at Dobbs Home

The Couples class of the First
Baptist church met at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Dobbs, 286 San-
dusky street, Friday evening with
Mrs. Wayne Taylor in charge of the
program.

Mrs. Harry Hutchens and Mrs.
George Coraor gave three dialogues,
Miss Winstead gave a Christmas
story, and Mrs. May Worrall re-
cited "Anna and Willie's Prayer."
Linda Young sang Silent Night, with
Wilma Dobbs at the piano. Miss
Dobbs then presented "White Christ-
mas" as a piano solo.

The class enjoyed a Christmas
gift exchange, and refreshments
were served by the hostesses. Thirty-
five members and friends were pres-
ent.

Lafayette P.T.A. Will Hold Christmas Party

The Lafayette P.T.A. will hold its
Christmas party for parents and
teachers at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday at the
school auditorium.

Mrs. Robert Jacobs will be in
charge of Christmas carol and com-
munity singing. Mrs. W. O. Randall,
president of the P.T.A., will conduct
a business session.

Mildred Hiernan Feted at Recent Shower at Concord

A bridal shower was held at the
home of Mrs. J. J. Newton of Con-
cord recently, honoring Miss Mildred
Hiernan who is to be married to
Howard Dietrick on Dec. 18.

Games and contests were enjoyed
during the afternoon and prizes were
given to Mrs. Tillie Schone, Mrs. Roy
Nickel and Mrs. Daniel Dietrick.

Gifts were presented to Miss Hiernan
from a decorated hope chest
and she was asked to guess the con-
tents of each package before open-
ing. If she failed, the giver had the
right to ask any question she desired.

Refreshments were served by the
hostess, assisted by Norma Helen
Heirman, using green and white as
the color scheme.

Those present were Mrs. Daniel
Dietrick, Mrs. Robert Kircher, Mrs.
Troy Williams, Mrs. Tillie Schone,
Mrs. Hester Nickel, Mrs. Roy Nickel,
Mrs. Harold Hamman, Mrs. Fritz
Schone, Mrs. Elmer Roegge, Mrs.
Robert Nickel, Mrs. Paul Nickel, Mrs.
Wendell Middendorf, Mrs. Aldo Hier-
man, Mrs. Mammie McLain, Miss
Donna Lee Hamman, Miss Frances
Gaddis, Miss Virginia Dietrick, Miss
Phyllis Dietrick, Miss Mildred Schone,
Miss Norma Helen Hiernan, David
Kircher, Mary Alice Middendorf and
the guest of honor, Miss Mildred
Hiernan.

Eddie Ashbaugh Of Waverly Dies; Burial Wednesday

Waverly—Eddie W. Ashbaugh, 74,
of Waverly, died at 1:20 a. m. Sun-
day in the Macon county hospital in
Decatur, following a brief illness.

He was born April 4, 1875, in Ma-
coupin county, the son of William F.
and Mary Frances Hart Ashbaugh.

Surviving are his wife, Amanda;
two daughters, Vena and Lela, both
at home; two sisters, Mrs. Otis
Deatherage, of Waverly, and Mrs.
Harvey Deatherage, of Springfield. He
was preceded in death by a son,
Wesley, in 1936, and by a brother,
Lloyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashbaugh celebrated
their 50th wedding anniversary Nov.
22.

Services will be held at 2 p. m.
Wednesday in the Wise funeral
home with Rev. L. E. Chase, of Pal-
myra, officiating. Burial will be in
East cemetery.

Class Birthday Party Held Dec. 7

Franklin—The fourth quarterly
meeting of the Wesleyan birthday
class was held Wednesday afternoon
at the Methodist church. The host-
esses were composed of those ladies
whose birthdays are in October, Nov-
ember or December.

Mrs. Clarence Jewsbury was pro-
gram chairman. Those on the pro-
gram were Carol Joyce Rolston, pi-
ano solo; Carol Ann and Kay Whit-
lock, vocal duet; Miss Margaret
Camm, reading; Gloda Rolston, pi-
ano solo; and Miss Margaret Sey-
mour, reading.

Mrs. L. W. Linder was chosen to be
chairman for the next quarterly
meeting.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde White of Mur-
rayville, are parents of a son weigh-
ing six pounds, seven ounces, born
at 5:51 p. m. Saturday at Our Sav-
iour's hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith, 1040
North Diamond street, a daughter,
weighing six pounds, 6 ounces, at
9:32 a. m. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bell of Vir-
ginia, are parents of a daughter born
at 12:36 p. m. Sunday, weighing
eight pounds, 8 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. William Simmons of
Winchester, a son, at 3:32 a. m. Sun-
day, weighing ten pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Stillwell, 906
Mathers street a daughter weighing
seven pounds, 12 ounces, born at
4:48 a. m. Monday.

A daughter was born at 10:30 p. m.
Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Robert
Scanlan, 840 Grove street, at Pass-
avant Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Silvernail,
unit 2, No. 10, Illinois College, are
parents of a son born at 12:30 p. m.
Sunday, at Passavant Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Crayne, 391
West Prairie, Waverly, are parents
of a son born at 1:35 p. m. Sunday,
at Passavant Hospital.

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Ronald L. MacLean, director of
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also a water safety instructor for
the local Red Cross chapter, reports
13 boy students as having completed
the beginners test, the intermediate
tests and the swimmer's tests in wa-
ter safety.

The students who completed these
courses are as follows: Beginners,
Thomas Thurston, Robert Davis, Ed-
die Lewis, Robert Watson, Willis
Nitzel; intermediates, Oliver Brad-
dy, Donald Heiler, Billy Day, Billy
Chambers; swimmers, Gene Ter-
hark, Jack Killen, Gerald Draper,
Jerry Garafolo.

Water safety certificates have
been issued to these students from
the Morgan county Red Cross chap-
ter.

Mrs. White, 83, Taken By Death At White Hall

White Hall—Mrs. Mattie White,
83, died at 1:05 p. m. Sunday at her
home at White Hall, following five
weeks illness.

Mrs. White was born Jan. 17, 1866,
the daughter of the late Miles and
Henrietta Morris Davis. She was a
lifelong resident of White Hall and
vicinity. Her husband, Albert White,
preceded her in death 45 years ago.

Surviving are three sons, Stanley,
Oran and William, and a daughter,
Miss Mina White, all of White Hall;
nine grandchildren, eight great-
grandchildren, two brothers, R. L.
Davis, of White Hall, and Tony O.
Davis, of Alton; two sisters, Mrs.
Dewey Neal, of Wellington, Kan.,
and Mrs. Lura Edmondson, of Kan-
sas City, Mo. She was preceded in
death by five sisters.

The body will be taken from the
Dawdy funeral home for services at
2 p. m. Tuesday, in the First Baptist
church here, with Rev. Ben Bohm
officiating. Burial will be in White
Hall cemetery.

WOMEN'S CLUB TO MEET

The Greene County Democratic
Women's club will hold a Christmas
party and gift exchange Friday eve-
ning, Dec. 16, at 8 p.m. in the court
house.

LEAVES HOSPITAL

Mrs. Harold Smith has returned to
her home at Franklin where she is
recovering after a major opera-
tion at Passavant hospital.

AMVET meeting tonight.

NOTICE OF CLAIM DATE

ESTATE OF LILLIE BALL, De-
ceased. No. 145.
Notice is hereby given to all per-
sons that Monday, February 6, 1950,
is the claim date in the estate of
Lillie Ball, Deceased, pending in
the County Court of Morgan County,
Illinois, and that claims may be
filed against the said estate on or
before said date without issuance of
summons.

George A. Wild, Executor
Hugh Green, Attorney

NOTICE OF CLAIM DATE

ESTATE OF EDITH C. MILLER,
Deceased. No. 146.
Notice is hereby given to all per-
sons that Monday, February 6, 1950,
is the claim date in the estate of
Edith C. Miller, Deceased, pending in
the County Court of Morgan County,
Illinois, and that claims may be
filed against the said estate on or
before said date without issuance of
summons.

Edith Irene DuQuoin, Executor
Hugh Green, Attorney

Carrollton Choir To Hold Vespers

The Methodist Youth choir, under
the direction of Miss Pauline Schroeder,
will give a Christmas vesper
service Sunday, Dec. 18, at 4:30 p.m.
in the church auditorium.

The organization meeting of the
Greene county chapter of the Ameri-
can Cancer society will be held Tues-
day, Dec. 13, at 7:30 p.m. in the Car-
rollton public library.

The Carrollton physicians went to
Roodhouse Friday evening to attend
a meeting of the Greene County
Medical society held at 6:30 p.m. in
the American Legion hall. The speak-
er was Dr. E. Harold Ennis of Spring-
field.

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Favorites Win In Ivy Basketball Inaugurals

By John Campbell
The 22nd Ivy cage race got off to a fast start last week with the favorites coming through. White Hall, Winchester and Jerseyville grabbed their initial conference games. Winchester, the defending champs, won over a fighting Carrollton five at the Scott County city with a 64-53 score. The other two strong Ivy loop teams, White Hall and Jerseyville won over Roodhouse 58-43 and Greenfield 44-23 respectively.
Coach E. W. Posey's Winchester club started fast and had a lead of

Jacksonville Independent Five Wins 51-43 Tussle

The Jacksonville Bombers independent basketball team cruised to a 51-43 victory over Manchester's independent club on the Alsey boards Monday night.
Stan Spotts ripped the cords for 22 points to lead the Jacksonville crew. Cooper scored 19 for Manchester.
The Box Score:
Jacksonville FG FT TP
Patterson, f. 2 3 7
Smith, f. 1 2 4
Due, f. 5 0 10
Race, c. 1 0 2
Spotts, g. 11 0 22
Todd, g. 3 0 6
Totals 23 5 51
Manchester FG FT TP
Ballard, f. 1 1 3
Kelly, f. 2 1 5
Walt Lubes, c. 5 0 10
Cooper, g. 9 1 19
Fred Lubes, g. 2 2 6
Totals 19 5 43

M.S.M. Conference

By Bob Duerwer
THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE
Tuesday
Morrisville at Edinburg
Divernon at Auburn
Nokomis at Litchfield
Waverly at Girard
Northwestern at Mt. Olive
Friday
Virden at Auburn
Morrisville at Girard
Divernon at Waverly
St. James at Nokomis
Carlinville at Northwestern
Conference games.

The Waverly Scotties will be in the feature of this week's ten game M.S.M. chart since they are the only leading contender to see loop action twice, going to Girard on Tuesday and being Divernon's hosts on Friday. The other two league toughies, Nokomis and Morrisville, will be in action against loop competition Friday. Morrisville is in Girard while Nokomis is entertaining St. James.

Action last week was rather dull with Morrisville taking the spotlight. The Mohawks ran their record to five wins and one loss as they bowled over conference opponents, Divernon 48-39 and Auburn 35-28. Nokomis and Waverly both raced over single teams last week. Nokomis smothered Raymond 54-32 and Waverly carried off a 53-30 win at Roodhouse's expense.

Virden scored only 45 points last week but were able to split a pair of games, first they lost to Jacksonville 43-19, but came back to edge out their bitter rivals, Girard, 26-24. The other clubs in the conference are having their troubles. Divernon, expected to have a fine club this season, owns only two victories in seven starts. The Dragons latest split was to Raymond 51-40 Friday night. St. James, Girard and Auburn all have yet to win a game. St. James dropped games last week to Pleasant Plains 58-44 and St. Teresa 59-20. Girard to both Call-Chat 36-30 and Virden while New Berlin 42-33 and Morrisville both bumped off Auburn. Northwestern had a bad week losing to Carrollton 70-54 and to Staunton 51-39.

The Kansas City hockey team of the U. S. Hockey League, formerly known as the Pla-Mors, this season carries the nickname of Mohawks.

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Divisions Of New Pro Grid League Will Be Equalized

Philadelphia, Dec. 12 — (AP) — Strength in the new National American football league will be divided equally among the two divisions, Commissioner Bert Bell said today.
"We won't load either division," he said. "The standard teams definitely will not be in the same division."
The commissioner said makeup of the National and American divisions will not be determined until the league's first meeting on January 19. "Each team will receive equal consideration," Bell said. "And it will take a vote by 11 of the 13 teams to set up the divisions."
Bell lifted slightly the secrecy about makeup of the divisions. The Baltimore Colts will be the 13th team in the setup with six clubs in the American and six in the National. To which division the Colts will be assigned is to be determined later.
The six teams in each division will play other clubs in their division twice, accounting for 10 games. One inter-division game with a "traditional rival" will bring the total to 11 and each of the other 12 teams will play the Colts once.
One team will be idle each Sunday. The two entries from Chicago and New York will be in different divisions and will play each other in the "traditional rival" contest. Other traditional rivals still are to be determined.
Bell said also that under the new league setup, exhibition games against teams in one's own division will not be permitted.

Cards, Giants, Reds Swing Deal In Player Shuffle

New York, Dec. 12 — (AP) — The St. Louis Cardinals, New York Giants and Cincinnati Reds swung a three-corner deal today that sent players shuffling around their minor league farms.
Here's how it works:
Catcher Jerry Burmeister goes from Houston, the Cardinals' farm in the Texas league, to Syracuse, Cincinnati affiliate in the International league.
Pitcher Millard Howell shifts from Syracuse to Minneapolis, the Giants' farm in the American Association.
Second baseman George Hausmann moves from Minneapolis to Houston.
Hausmann was one of the Mexican league jumpers who was reinstated in the middle of the last campaign. He played 16 games for the Giants after his return to good stead. Howell formerly pitched for the Reds.

Soil Conservation To Be Discussed

Jerseyville—Possibility of forming a Soil Conservation District here will be discussed at a mass meeting of all farm landowners of Jersey county at 1:00 p.m. Tuesday at the Courthouse in Jerseyville. Ninety-six counties in Illinois have formed such a district conservation and farm drainage problems.
Persons well informed on the subject will present the soil conservation program as it affects Jersey county, in talks and slides and the operation of the Districts will be explained. The work carried on in other counties will be shown by colored slides and commentaries made as the pictures are shown.
Endorsement of the proposed Soil Conservation District has been given by the Executive Board of the Jersey County Farm Bureau. Farm Adviser Raymond Frakes, has had much experience with the program as a Farm Planner in St. Clair County before coming to Jersey County as Adviser of the local Farm Bureau.

East St. Louis Livestock

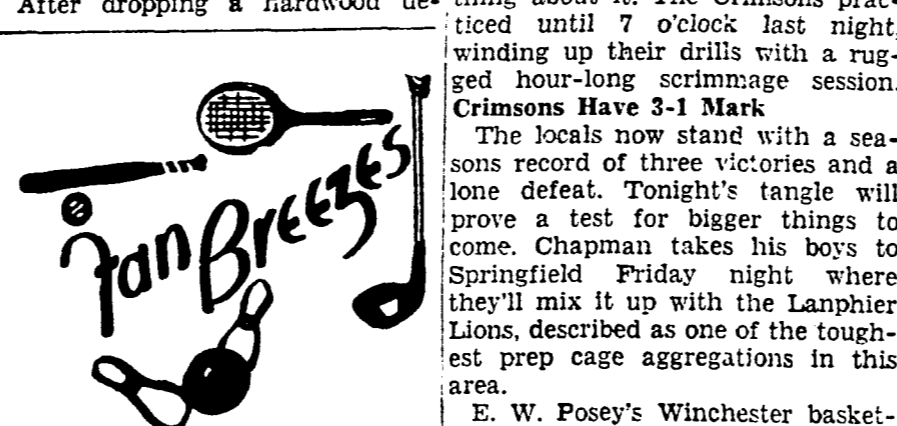
National Stockyard, Ill., Dec. 12 — (AP) — (USDA) — Hogs 19,000; market active; weights 160 lbs up to 25 higher; bulk 180-240 barrows and gilts 15.50-75; few under 210 lbs 15.50-16.00; extreme top 16.00; 250-300 lbs 14.50-15.25; 150-170 lbs mostly 15.50-16.00; few 180-140 lbs 15.50-50; hogs 400 lbs mostly 12.75-13.50; heavier sows 11.00-12.75; stags 9.00-11.00.
Cattle 7000; calves 1600; medium to low good steers 21.50-25.50; load mostly average choice 35.00; vealers 1.00 lower; several loads medium to low good heifers and mixed yearlings 22.00-26.00; common around 18.00; common and medium beef cows mostly 14.00-15.00; few good to 17; canners and cutters 10.50-14.00; medium and good sausage bulls 17.00-18.00; cutter and common 13.50-16.00; good and choice vealers mostly 25.00-32.00; odd head choice to 34.00; common and medium 17.00-25.
Sheep 5000; market slow; few sales; woolled lambs 23.00 to butchers; or steady with top Friday; however, not enough done to establish market.

Markets At A Glance

New York, Dec. 12 — (AP) — Stocks—Higher; Autos and Radios in demand.
Bonds—Steady; rails continue to improve.
Cotton—Lower; liquidation, mill buying.
Wheat—Easy; trade light.
Chicago
Corn—Easy; profit-taking.
Oats—Steady; recovers from early loss.
Hogs—Mostly steady and fairly active; top \$16.00.
Cattle—Unevenly strong to 50 cents lower.

Crimson Quint Host To Winchester Tonight; Rockets, Tigers Idle

LOCAL
Winchester at JHS (7 & 8:30 p.m.)
OTHERS
Roodhouse at Pittsfield
Kincaid at Raymond
Mt. Sterling at Chambersburg
Notre Dame at Beardstown
Waverly at Girard
Chandlerville at Ashland
Arenzville at White Hall
Carlinville at Carrollton
Chapin at Meredosia
After dropping a hardwood de-



By Bob Merris
Good high school basketball games are at a premium in this area tonight. Best seems to be the Winchester-Jacksonville scrap here. The teasing tipster says he checks the chart: Jacksonville over Winchester; Pittsfield will petrify Roodhouse; Notre Dame shillelagh Beardstown; Mt. Sterling smother Chambersburg; Waverly bite Girard; Ashland smite Chandlerville; Arenzville tip White Hall (a close one); and Chapin should clip Meredosia.

Al Miller, whose Illinois college basketball team is on a highly-rated Concordia of St. Louis tonight here Saturday night, has released the pairings for his Blueboys' holiday tournament which will be staged on the I.S.D. planks next Monday and Tuesday nights. Shurtleff, Carthage and Bemidji Teachers college of Minnesota will be guests of the Hilltoppers in the four-team event.

Miller's athletes are pitted against Shurtleff in the opening tilt at 7:30 Monday with Bemidji and Carthage in the second go-round at 8:30. The losers play the first game Tuesday night and the championship affair will start at 8:30.

Trophies will go to the first three teams, leaving only one ball club out in the cold. The awards are on display in the Drexel front window.

The host collegians are the defending champs in this second annual holiday tournament. Shurtleff and Bemidji competed last year, along with Quincy who, this season, has been replaced by Carthage, a CCI conference rival of the Blueboys.

Athletic director Miller and Illinois college officials deserve a great big pat on the back for staging such an event for Jacksonville enthusiasts. Four top-notch college basketball games in two nights isn't something to be sneezed at, even though this is senzenz-provoking weather. Few college towns will be offered a holiday program such as this. Most small colleges turn their athletes loose over the vacation and send them home. The Blueboys must want to play ball to give up part of their Christmas holiday or else Jacksonville is a mighty friendly town where they don't mind staying a few days although school has shut down.

Notre Dame Posts 1950 Grid Schedule

South Bend, Ind., Dec. 12 — (AP) — Notre Dame's fightin' Irish, unbeaten in ten games this season, will play a nine-game schedule next year.
Southern Methodist which gave the Irish a terrific scare before succumbing 27-20 and Washington, a 27-7 lower, will not re-appear on the 1950 slate announced tonight by athletic director Edward (Moose) Krause.
The sole newcomer to the Notre Dame card is the University of Pittsburgh, a vastly improved eleven this year. Holdovers include North Carolina, appearing at South Bend, Purdue, Tulane, Indiana, Michigan State, Navy, Iowa and Southern California.
Krause announced the schedule which list four home games at the annual testimonial banquet honoring the Irish footballers.
The 1950 schedule:
Sept. 30—North Carolina at Notre Dame
Oct. 7—Purdue at Notre Dame
Oct. 14—Tulane at New Orleans
Oct. 21—Indiana at Bloomington, Ind.
Oct. 28—Michigan State at Notre Dame
Nov. 4—Navy at Cleveland
Nov. 11—Pittsburgh at Notre Dame
Nov. 18—Iowa at Iowa City
Dec. 2—Southern California at Los Angeles.

JACKIE ROBINSON TO RECEIVE AWARD

New York, Dec. 12 — (AP) — The George Washington Carver Memorial Institute's 1949 gold award for betterment of race relations has gone to Jackie Robinson, the Brooklyn Dodgers' Negro star.
The award, to be presented at ceremonies in the near future, was announced last night by Robert D. Hobday, chairman of the institute's award committee.

E. J. Neil Memorial Trophy Awarded To Ezzard Charles

New York, Dec. 12 — (AP) — By unanimous vote, the New York Boxing Writers' Association today awarded the Edward J. Neil Memorial Boxing plaque for 1949 to National Boxing Association Heavyweight Champion Ezzard Charles.
Since 1938 the award has been given annually to the boxer of boxers, in the opinion of the writers, has done the most for the sport during the year with sportsmanship and clean living, in addition to ring performance, being considered in case a fighter is chosen.
Neil, Associated Press boxing writer in the early 30's, was killed in 1937 while serving as a war correspondent in Spain, and the award was set up in his memory.
Charles, a Cincinnati negro, and Jersey Joe Walcott were named by the N.B.A. to meet for the title vacated by Joe Louis. He defeated Walcott this year and was recognized as champion by the national body, although the New York State Commission has refused to name him titleholder.

Fred Haas Defeats Hamilton To Take Miami Open Golf

Miami, Fla., Dec. 12 — (AP) — Freddie Haas, Jr., captured the second major tournament of his professional golfing career today by defeating Bob Hamilton by two strokes in an 18-hole playoff for the championship of Miami's 26th annual \$10,000 golf tournament.
The former national intercollegiate champion from New Orleans carded a one under par 35-34-69 against Hamilton's one over par 35-36-71.
Haas received \$2,000 first money and Hamilton, eighth ranking money winner from Landover, Md., received \$1,400 as runner-up. They also split half of the gate receipts from today's playoff round.
The two had battled on even terms since the third round of the tournament when they turned in 11 under par 199s for 54 holes. In the final round yesterday, they both blazed a five-under-par 65 to deadlock at a record-shattering 264 — three strokes under the tournament record set in 1937 by Sam Snead.
Haas shot a hole in one on the 150-yard par three fourth hole during the second round.
The playoff round was an uphill struggle for both players as they turned in a caliber of golf far below that of the 72-hole card of 264.

Keglers' Korner



Elks Thursday League

Budweiser	214	812	853
Jacksonville Trailways	758	909	798
High game McFarland	212		
High total McFarland	569		
Purity Cleaners	789	884	850
Dunlap Hotel	770	791	783
High game Martin	223		
High total Martin	523		
Lukeman Motor Co.	728	842	818
Barrs Laundry	771	728	669
High game A. Smith	214		
High total A. Smith	523		
Eaust Transfer Co.	827	881	767
Nouette's Sporting Gds	802	821	828
High game Eoff	216		
High total Eoff	590		
Mac's Clothes Shop	792	805	818
Cosgriff Cafe	788	720	774
High game McNeely	193		
High total McNeely	512		
Jacks News Agency	675	776	714
Jacks Novelty Co.	772	746	773
High game Hall	217		
High total Middendorf	527		

Elm City (Elks) Friday League

Coca-Cola	742	808	839
Myer's Bros.	587	701	740
High game, Coca-Cola	187		
High total, Coca-Cola	536		
National Guard	681	628	678
White Hall	663	711	721
High game, White Hall	198		
High total, White Hall	455		
D. Early	675	713	742
A. C. W. A.	675	713	742
Lukeman's	705	691	630
High game, Lukeman's	164		
High total, A. C. W. A.	452		
Scott	452		

Bud Parker Quits As Cardinal Coach

Chicago, Dec. 12 — (AP) — Raymond "Buddy" Parker resigned today, leaving the Chicago Cardinals with their third coaching vacancy in a year.
The former Detroit Lion and Century College halfback said his action was prompted by the uncertainty of his future with the National Football League club. He said the 52-21 defeat by the Chicago Bears yesterday had nothing to do with it.
Parker had headed the coaching staff for only seven games since Oct. 24. The Cardinals went coach hunting after the 1948 campaign upon the resignation of Jimmy Conzelmann who steered the team to the league title in 1947 and divisional honors his last year.

Night Baseball Gains New Ground In Majors

New York, Dec. 12 — (AP) — Night baseball gained new ground in the majors today as both the National and American leagues decided to finish "day" games under the lights when darkness intervenes.
The National restored the twilight-need doubleheaders they have ruled out since wartime. The American has condoned such doubles in the past.
No longer will National night games be halted by a curfew at 12:25 a.m. (local time). The curfew was voted out at today's meeting.
The suspended game, a headache in wartime days, was restored by the National league. Under that rule, games called on account of Sunday curfew or to catch a train will be resumed at the point of interruption at a later date.
This rule caused considerable confusion during the war years when often a game started in May would not be officially won or lost until July or August.
American league executives did not go all the way with the National in turning on lights to finish day games. They will allow this only in the last series between two clubs of the season.
It looks like a showdown battle on setting up a uniform playoff system in case of a tie at the end of the regular season. The American votes to stick with its own one-game "sudden death" ending and the National still wants to play a best-of-three series as in the past. A final decision will be up to Commissioner A. B. Chandler at Wednesday's joint sessions.

Tuesday, July 11 was set as the date for the 1950 all-star game to be played at Comiskey Park, home of the Chicago White Sox.
The proposal to legalize the spit ball apparently will fail. The American voted it down, 7-1, with Billy Evans, Detroit general manager, the only representative in favor.
Marty Marion of the St. Louis Cardinals, successor to Dixie Walker as National league player representative, agreed to night games on the final game of a series if the visiting team consents. However, a game must be started in time to allow a visiting club to reach the city where

it is next scheduled, four hours before game time.
With trade talk still largely in the negotiating stage, the majors took advantage of the lull to announce official 1949 attendance figures, showing a three per cent decrease.
Official National league figures were 9,484,718 last season as compared to 9,770,743 in 1948. St. Louis set an all-time club record by turning in 1,430,676 and the Brooklyn Dodgers and Philadelphia Phils also turned in increases. Brooklyn's 1,633,747 was high.

Our Saviours Five Nabs 15-14 Win At South Jacksonville

The Our Saviour's kid cagers made their third quarter score pay-off as they ran their mark to 15 in that period and held it through the final chapter to edge their cross-town rivals from South Jacksonville 15-14, on the South side floor last night.
The host South Jacksonville club was held scoreless in the third period while Our Saviour's was racking up seven points to take a commanding 15-8 lead.
The final chapter was all South Jacksonville as they rallied to score six points while the Our Saviour's kids were held to zero points.
The entertainers missed some good shots in the final minutes and the invaders held their one-point margin to the final horn to register a P.M.S.C. conference victory.
Jimmy Costello was high scorer for the game with eight points. Negus, South Jacksonville center, tallied five.
The Our Saviour's reserves won the preliminary by a 22-9 margin.
The Box Score:
Our Saviour's FG FT TP
Kennedy, f. 1 0 0
McGuire, f. 0 0 0
Towers, f. 0 0 0
Lenth, c. 0 1 1
Costello, g. 4 0 4
Dowling, g. 0 0 0
Shanahan, g. 2 0 4
Totals 7 1 15
South Jacksonville FG FT TP
Becker, f. 0 0 0
Massey, f. 0 0 0
Hembrough, f. 0 0 0
Negus, c. 2 1 3
Birdsong, g. 0 1 1
Kemp, g. 2 0 4
Totals 6 2 14
By quarters:
Our Saviour's 4 8 15 15
South Jacksonville 4 8 8 14
Officials—Sorrels, Jacksonville and McKinney, Mt. Sterling.

Jerome Groom Is Named Captain Of 1950 Irish Squad

South Bend, Ind., Dec. 12 — (AP) — Jerome Paul "Jerry" Groom, defensive linebacker, today was elected captain of the Notre Dame football squad for the 1950 season.
The 6-3, 214-pound center blocked an extra-point kick, keeping Southern Methodist from taking a late lead against the Irish in their game Dec. 3.
He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Groom, Des Moines, Iowa, and earned six athletic letters at Dowling high school there.
End Leon Hart and tackle Jim Martin, both seniors were co-captains of the 1949 team.

Y.M.C.A. League

Baltimore, Dec. 12 — (AP) — Calumet Farm's Coaltown drew even today with Greentree's Capot in their paper racing for "horse of the year."
The 4-year-old Coaltown beat out his one-year younger rival in the 14th annual poll by the Turf and Sport Digest, a Baltimore publication.

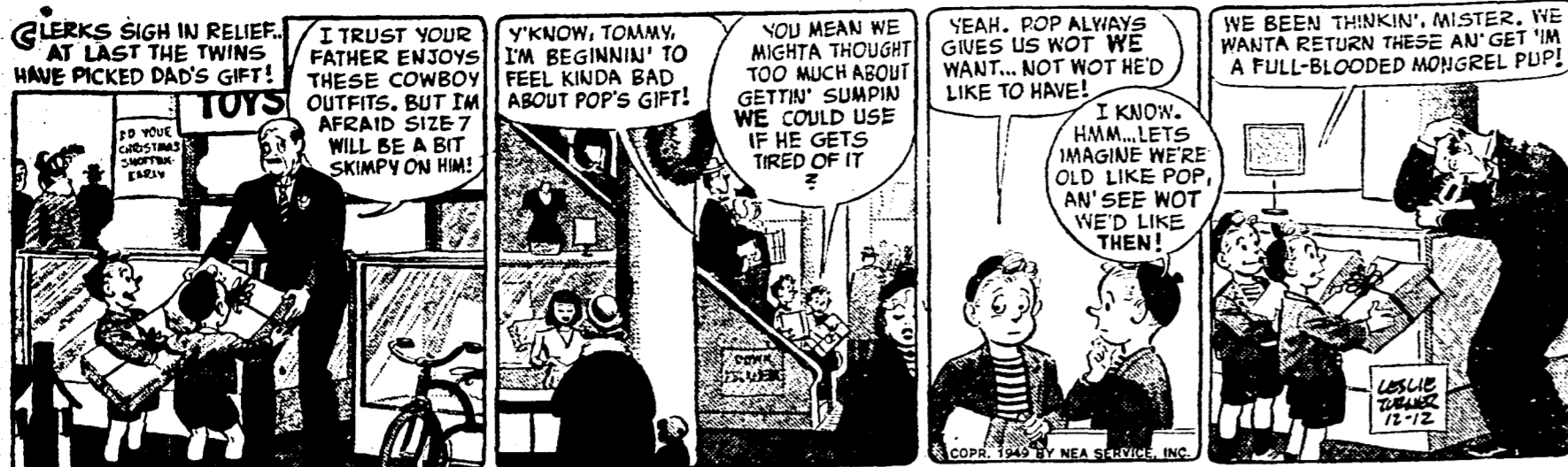
Capot earlier had been voted the honor by the Daily Racing Form.
Capot made a determined bid for the year's turf honors by beating Coaltown in their last two races of the season, the sycamore mile and Pimlico special. However, Coaltown previously had won 12 out of 13 while Capot, winner of the preakness and Belmont, wound up the year with a record of six victories in 16 starts.
The two rivals were close in money earnings, Coaltown dragging down \$276,125 and Capot \$238,335.

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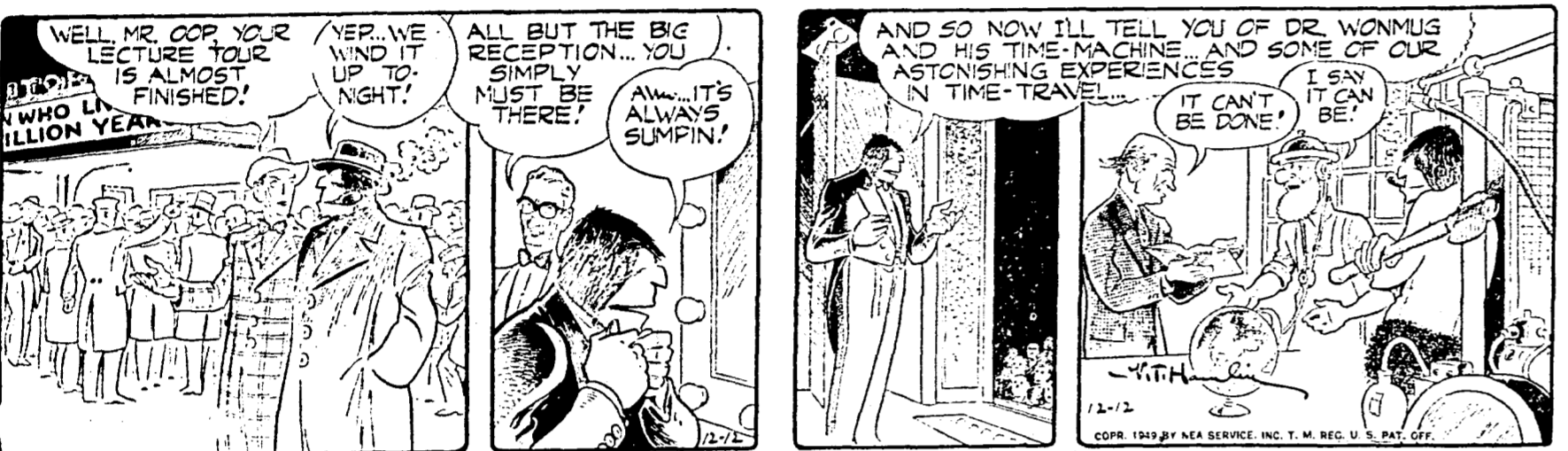
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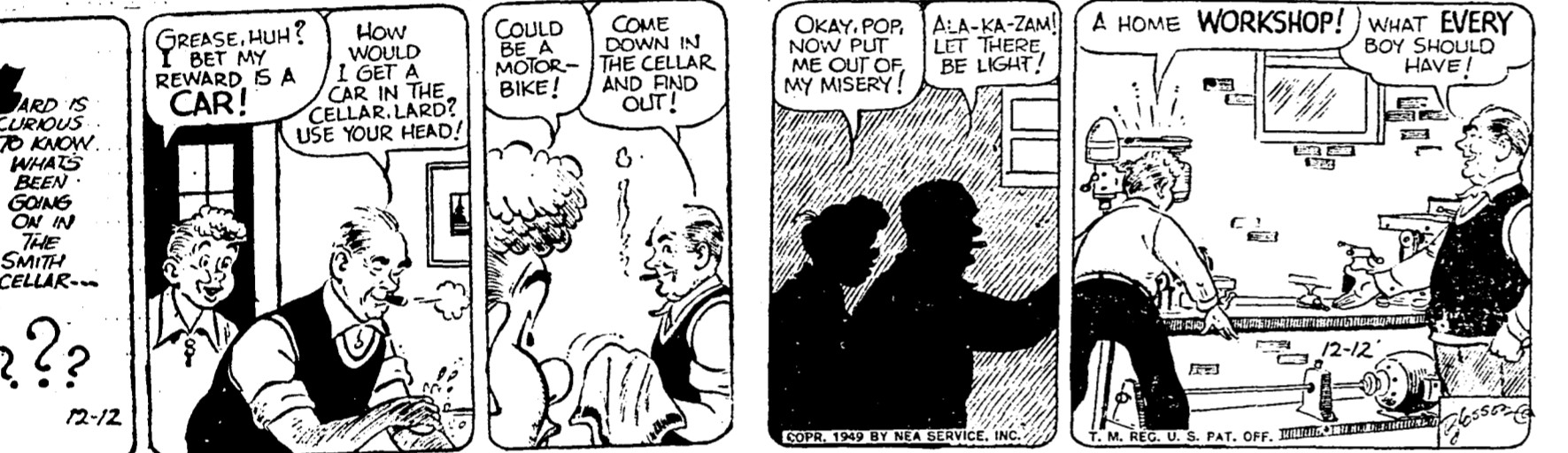
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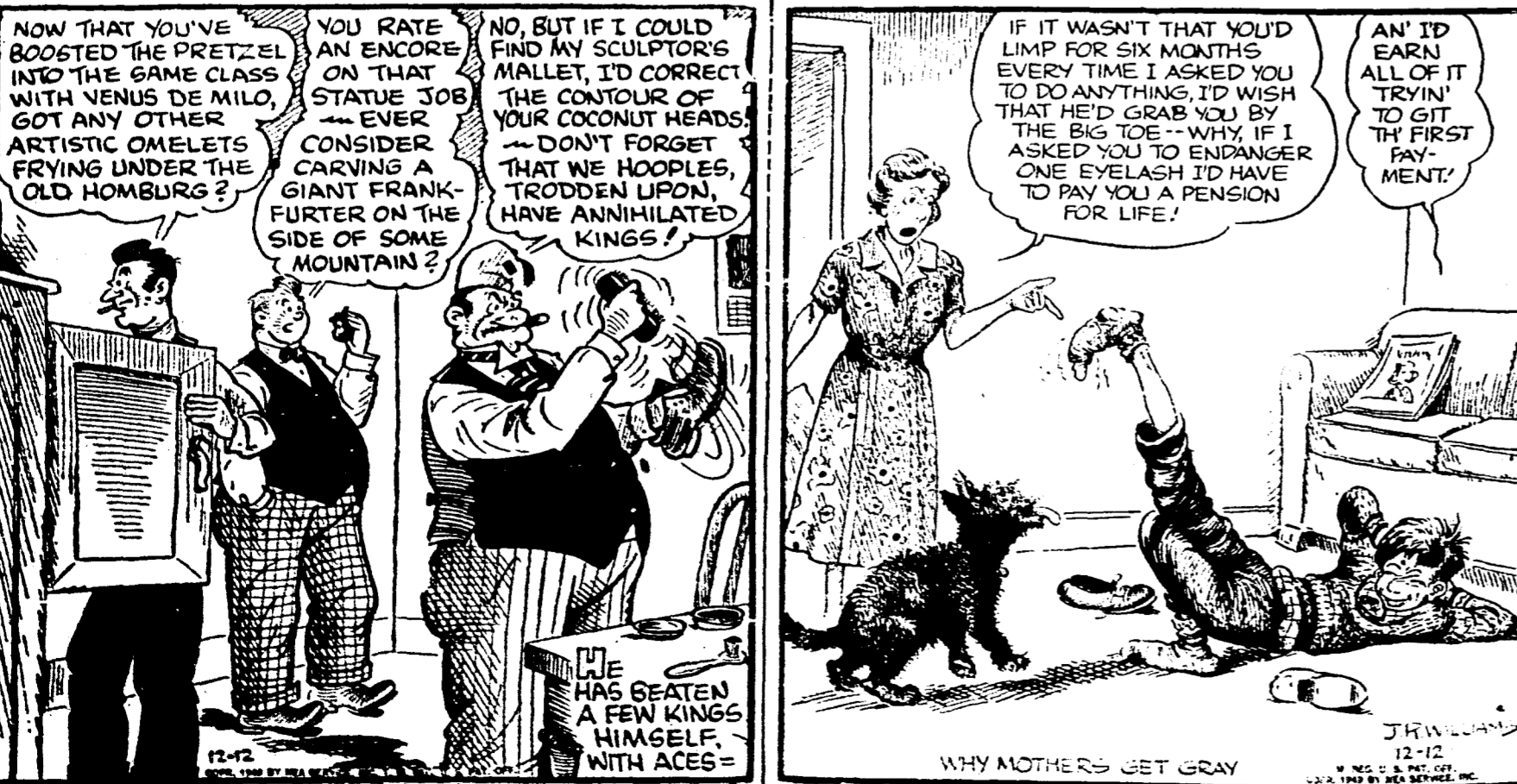
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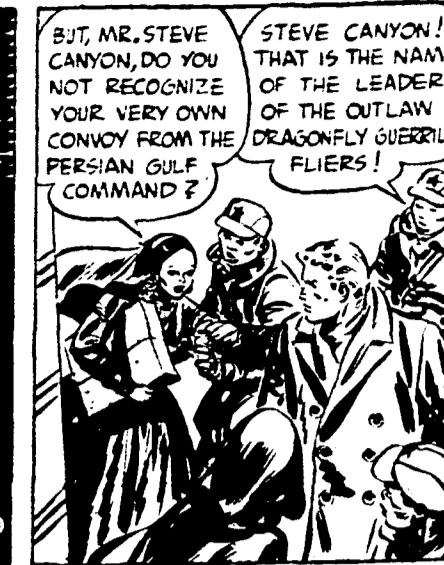
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I Love My Doctor
By Evelyn Barkins
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BEFORE my marriage, there had been good reason for alarm. The unattached girls giggled and whispered: "You know how the fellows are," and obviously, everyone did.

The wiser, but still comparatively immature matrons, breathed, "My dear, you've no idea what passion really is!" and sighed appreciatively.

But, as I told John after we were married, "For heaven's sake, darling, don't people make a big fuss about such a little matter?"

To which he replied facetiously: "What did you expect? An atomic explosion?"

As for our wedding itself, it was inauspicious, complying more with the dictionary definition, rather than the social one. This was true, mostly, because nobody concerned thought we should get married anyway. I was too young (and still in school); John was too poor (intern's pay was \$15 per month, plus room, board and uniforms).

Everybody, but John and me, agreed it would be far more sensible to wait. "What for?" asked John, "and why?"

"Well," said mother, carefully looking away, "it's all right for just the two of you. But what if—er—certain accidents happen?"

But John was unmoved. "You forget," he said seriously, "that I am a doctor." Heaven knows that in all the world there is no one more self-consciously The Doctor, than the brand new one.

But mother sniffed. "And you forget," she reminded him ominously, "that you are also a man."

But my father, who never let my mother stand alone, if he could help it, spoke too.

"What will you live on, young man?" he began, and much more.

John and I outlined our plans. In a few weeks he would have completed his hospital internship. Meanwhile, we would live in a furnished room, then find a small apartment, open an office and start growing rich. I would finish up my law course (only two school hours each morning), help him with the nursing and secretarial work, and eventually hang out my own shingle and contribute another large portion to our mutual wealth.

"I can only see," my mother answered angrily, as if there were brass knuckles on her tongue, "that you two are beyond making any sense. Let's discuss this at another time, when you may be more reasonable."

SO we discussed it again and again, until to break the deadlock and attain our goal, John and I decided to elope to City Hall.

When we went to get our marriage license, the clerk refused my application because I was under 21.

"What should we do now?" we asked him in dismay.

"Get a birth certificate or a note from your doctor testifying as to your date of birth," he recited by rote, completely oblivious of our plight, and more as if he were ordering: ham sandwich on rye, hold the pickle, no mustard.

"Oh, John," I wailed as we walked away. "Now what?"

"Got a certificate at home?" he asked.

I shook my head.

"Well, then who is your family doctor?"



The justice stammered just enough to be funny and I giggled.

traffic of other eager aspirants, while reviewing our situation. "I've really got it," I said. "You're a doctor, John. You write me a note as to my date of birth on your prescription blank and sign it. Then we'll give it to the clerk and get the license."

THE note written, we reapproached the desk. Without a glance or a word (we could have worn gas masks for all he looked or cared), the clerk handed us the license. To this day John tells our children that he got me by fraud and for some incomprehensible reason, it makes him the Great Lover, and all of them happy.

The wedding ceremony itself, which followed immediately like the check before the dessert routine in Max's Busybee during luncheon, was distinctly unimpressive. The office we stood in was dark and bare, and smelled like a coat closet full of wet umbrellas, and dirty clothes. The witnesses, brought in out of the hall, were two dark shadows behind me. The justice himself was a short, queer-looking man, with a round shiny bald spot right in the middle of his head that reflected the electric light above him as does a shimmering pool of water. He stammered just enough to be funny, and I giggled.

As the little man began to read, though, the seriousness of the situation overwhelmed me, and just as I was becoming thoroughly frightened, it began to seem unreal instead. It did not appear to be possible that a few words read out of a little, black book by a homely, strange person could actually create the relationship of husband and wife.

I was terrified. This was my wedding. This was for keeps, for ever. Tomorrow there was no going back to today, no turning away. I knew that I loved John and that he loved me. But who could tell? Life was something tremendous and terrible before me, indefinable, unyielding and frightening. How could anyone know anything for sure? All the calculated warnings I had heard, all the literary admonitions I had read came home to roost with shattering effects.

Suddenly, I felt the ring on my finger, and we were married. John, in the meantime, had contributed his own piece of individuality to the event. Three times, during the ceremony, whenever

the little man paused for breath, John turned and kissed me. "Sorry," he muttered when reapproached, "I thought it was all over."

"A v-very unusual w-wedding," the justice said with apparent displeasure, as he pocketed his fee; "that's the trouble with folks today. Don't anybody realize what marriage means any more?"

WE stayed at a near-by small hotel for most of the summer until John finished his internship and we found a place to live. Our room, No. 518, as hotel rooms ordinarily go, was probably as common as orange juice and toast for breakfast. But since I had never been in a hotel room before, my mind must have been subconsciously harboring something out of the motion picture set of "Anthony and Cleopatra," for, at first glance, I was somewhat disappointed.

I turned to John expecting to share my disappointment, only to note with surprise that he had never even noticed the room at all.

My mother, naturally, had offered us the opportunity to share the family bed and board, until we secured our own apartment.

"I'll save us hotel money," I told John when I repeated the invitation, "and we can probably chisel in on some food as well."

For a minute or two I hesitated. It is difficult in any marriage to be completely honest at all times; in early marriage, it is doubly so. The emotion is like a blindfold across the eyes; the shadowy unknown places in each other's characters loom like big, black dangerous craters. I have always been grateful that John and I instinctively chose the direct route.

"It's this way, darling," I said. "Despite all their best intentions, we'll have as much privacy as an office clock near closing time. And legal or not, it'll still be like having a man in my bedroom, and I couldn't feel comfortable with the family probably wondering what was going on. And besides," I finished, "since we aren't having a real honeymoon, I want us to be alone, at least, like this."

John sighed with relief and gave me a tremendous hug. "And I was afraid you might want to go," he laughed. "But who wants to be economically sensible?"

So we sent our thanks home, and kept ourselves in 518. (To Be Continued.)

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City Lets Contracts For Wiring 2 Houses

Two city-owned houses in the Lake Jacksonville area will be wired for electricity as the result of council action last night. Bids for two contractors were opened, and each was awarded one of the contracts.

Harry Thompson was given the job of wiring the Boston house on a bid of \$318.79, and Charles Gano was awarded the contract for wiring the Maynard house for \$190.

Alderman Kelly of the public improvement committee said only one house on lake property now remains without electric service. A service line was built by the R.E.A. into the lake area some time ago.

School For Deaf To Give Christmas Play Wednesday

A Christmas play "Why the Chimes Rang" will be one of the high lights of the Christmas activities at the Illinois School for the Deaf this week. The famous Christmas play will be given by the Dramatic club under the direction of David Mudgett in the auditorium at 7 p. m. Wednesday, Dec. 14.

The cast includes Jerry Kane, Eugene Harrington, Oliver Hoffman, Iris Bailey, Sherman Keller, Gladys Shafer, James Willis, Joseph Sorce, Imogene Raeland, Eugene Gludice, Ann Whitaker and Robert Montfort.

The stage work will be handled by Teddy Zuziak, Oliver Hoffman, Joseph Sorce, Francis Uhren, Gordon Bennewitz and Charlene Marshall.

Christmas music on the organ will be furnished by Mrs. Arthur Samore. The great chimes were made by the art classes under the direction of Miss Edith Jordan, and the costumes were made by the sewing classes under the direction of Mrs. Henry Goebel. The play will be interpreted by Miss Helen Dial.

Santa Claus will make his annual visit after the play.

Lesson On Meals Given At Asbury Home Bureau Meet

Mrs. Frances King talked on "Planning and Serving Company Meals" and Mrs. Laurence Fisher presented the minor lesson on "Hobbies for Different Age Groups" when the Asbury Home Bureau met recently at the home of Mrs. Everett Reynolds. Mrs. Don McNeely was assistant hostess, and a delicious potluck luncheon was served.

During the business session in charge of Mrs. Eugene Dodsworth it was decided to hold a silent auction at the January meeting, which will be a luncheon at the home of Mrs. Roy Bourn, 1619 S. Main street. Due to conflicting dates, it was decided that the lesson then will be given by the home adviser instead of local leaders.

Members answered roll call with hints on serving company meals. After the program Mrs. King and Mrs. Thomas Butler sang "Lullaby" and "Silent Night," and a Christmas gift exchange was held.

Guests were Mrs. Hannah Hemmrough, Mrs. Lon McNeely, Mrs. Pete Hise, Mrs. Lucille Hemmrough, Mrs. George Barber, Mrs. Edith Cox, Mrs. Kathleen Hemmrough, Dickie Fisher and Dickie and Mary Jean Hemmrough.

SPOT GETS BONE: FIRE TRUCK RIDE PAYS DIVIDEND

Many Jacksonville residents have been wondering why "Spot," the Jacksonville Fire department's mascot, mounts the lead off truck when an alarm comes in. They found out last Saturday night.

When the alarm sounded at 9:10 o'clock Saturday night, when a fire was discovered in the basement of the Citizens Market at 310 East State street, "Spot" was the first to mount the pumper.

He barked continuously as the fire warden dashed through the streets and quickly dismounted when the fire apparatus stopped in front of the burning building.

When the firemen entered the building, "Spot" was at their heels, but he didn't stay long.

Discovering a box filled with bones in the meat section, "Spot" snatched up a large bone, dashed out the front door and resumed his station atop the truck. The run had paid off for the first time in many months.

Swain Marshall, proprietor of the market, said he was happy to reward "Spot" for his faithfulness in answering all fire alarms.

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Service Chairman Addresses Clubs On Vet's Hospital

Mrs. F. E. Parks of Marion, Ill., chairman of veterans' service in the Illinois Federation of Women's Clubs, was the speaker at the December board meeting of the 23rd district group, held in the Mayfair room of the Dunlap on Monday, Dec. 12.

Two representatives of a Minneapolis firm gave a demonstration and an instructive talk on the importance of hearing tests and corrective aids, particularly among children.

Guests were Mrs. Lester Draper, president of the 21st district, and Mrs. Theodore Chapman of Jerseyville. Forty officers and chairmen were registered for the luncheon, and the next board meeting was set for March 6, 1950. Mrs. Harold S. Hunter, district president, called the meeting to order at 10:30 a. m., and Mrs. Glanden of Pittsfield led the devotion.

Vote Transfer of Fund

A resolution authorizing the transfer of the Public Benefit Fund and into the Special Assessment Account 239, the sum of \$1,694, passed on motion of Alderman Baker, seconded by Alderman Reid. The transfer of funds was voted for the purpose of paying the seventh installment and interest on the seventh to tenth installments, of a special assessment levied against the city in connection with the North Church street sewer replacement improvement.

Alderman Kelly announced that during the freezing rain last Friday night the street department spread 40 pounds of rock salt at intersections, with good effect. The city purchased a carload of salt for use in icy weather, and this was the first occasion when it was used.

Consider Liquor Amendment

City Attorney Fay read a revision of the proposed ordinance amending the liquor ordinance, with reference to revocation or voluntary abandonment of licenses, which provides for a decrease in the number of licenses in that particular class. Under the revision now up for consideration, the ordinance states that sale or transfer of a liquor business shall not be construed as a voluntary abandonment of the license.

On motion of Alderman Reid, the ordinance was laid over until the next meeting.

A budget report for eleven months was submitted by Alderman Haneline. It showed that \$260,302.52 of a \$283,967 budget had been expended, with a margin of \$23,716.06 as the city entered the last month of the year. Despite the figures shown in the budget the finance chairman called for strict economy and said "not many postage stamps will be bought during the rest of this year."

Bonjean Orchestra Plays For Junior High "Y" Night

Chuck Bonjean and his orchestra provided a novel occasion for the junior high school students who usually dance to records during their Monday night meetings at the YMCA. Chuck is a high school freshman and his eight musicians are high school boys too.

The "Hillbilly Four," a junior high group consisting of Norman Hixon on the guitar, Dick Dennis on the harmonica, Joe Carr on the accordion and a gag man, Jack Covey, played several numbers during the intermission. Mr. and Mrs. Merle Crouse are parent chairmen for the month.

The next Monday night's events will be a movie-dance and the telling of a Christmas story.

Seymour Funeral Held At Waverly

Waverly — Funeral services for Finis Seymour were held Sunday at 3 p. m. at the Nece Funeral Home at Waverly, and burial was made in Franklin cemetery.

The active pallbearers were Ross Melton and Gus Seymour. Lawrence Witherbee, Michael Hetzel and Wilbur Caldwell. Honorary pallbearers were William Mulligan, William Doolin, Frank Wemple, George McClain, Presley Woods and Marion Spire.

Those caring for the flowers were Mrs. Michael Hetzel, Mrs. Lawrence Witherbee, Miss Virginia Bull, Miss Frances Seymour and Miss Garneta Miner.

Roodhouse Rites For Mrs. Merrill

Roodhouse—Funeral services for Mrs. Frank Merrill, Jr., were held at the Wolfe Memorial Home Sunday afternoon, in charge of Rev. W. W. Williams.

Casket bearers were C. G. Whitney, Dick Whitney, Russell Ash, Russell Chapman, Edward Akers and William Gilmore.

Interment was made in Fernwood cemetery.

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Dr. McClelland Traces Expansion Of College

Progress of MacMurray College during the past 23 years was reviewed by President C. P. McClelland during dedicatory services of the new Annie Merner Chapel on Sunday afternoon. Dr. McClelland spoke as follows after accepting the chapel from Mrs. James E. MacMurray, president of the board of trustees.

"The completion of this chapel brings to a climax the expansion of MacMurray College which has moved steadily forward during the past twenty-three years. The goal set for the first part of this development program was reached just prior to the celebration of our centennial in 1946. In twenty years about \$3,500,000 had been added to our endowment and more than \$1,500,000 to our physical plant. The name of James E. MacMurray will be forever associated with this period.

"A new twenty-year development program was announced at the time of the centennial, and, since then, two additional buildings have been erected: Kathryn Residence Hall, which was opened for occupancy in September 1948, and now, this chapel which, it is hardly necessary for me to say, is the most beautiful of all our buildings.

"It is a symbol of the purpose which has been central in this college from its founding. T. S. Eliot rather pessimistically says:

"Where is the Life we have lost in living? Where is the wisdom we have lost in knowledge? Where is the knowledge we have lost in information? The cycles of Heaven in twenty centuries Bring us farther from God and nearer to the Dust."

"In this college of ours, through the years, we have been endeavoring to reverse the process described by Mr. Eliot. We have tried—and with a large measure of success—to bring the students and, indeed, the members of the entire college community, farther from the Dust and nearer to God. We have recognized the importance of information and knowledge, which we have considered wisdom, beginning to be more important, and life most important of all. And here will stand this chapel to present our aspiration for truth and beauty; reflecting too our belief that truth is beauty and beauty, truth.

"Standing at one end of an axis, with the library at the other end, it together with the library will always suggest the union of the two most vital factors in life and which are too often divorced, education and religion.

Gifts From Many Persons "This chapel is not the gift of one person. It bears the name of Annie Merner because this noble woman's generous contribution of \$125,000 was the initial gift and prompted many other persons to contribute to the fund, which in consequence until it was large enough to cover the total cost which will be approximately \$500,000 without the organ.

Mrs. Pfeiffer, I would remind you, gave our library in memory of her husband, Henry Pfeiffer. A woman of deep religious conviction and sturdy moral character, her life was consecrated to her Lord and Master, Jesus Christ. Possessed of great wealth, Mrs. Pfeiffer, before she died, gave it all away to institutions and enterprises of the Christian Church. In all her giving she was constrained by the love of Christ which ennobled and glorified her. She now rests from her labors. Her works live after her, and thousands for many years to come will rise up and call her blessed.

Besides Mrs. Annie Merner Pfeiffer, those whose generosity made this chapel possible were: The Board of Education of the Methodist Church, the citizens of the City of Jacksonville, the members of the churches of the Illinois Annual Conference of the Methodist Church, and other friends—several hundred in all. The total amount of the fund which they provided as of today is \$468,619.19. The total cost of the building, you may be interested to know, not including the cost of the organ, is \$499,823.58, leaving a balance of \$31,204.39 to be secured later. It is hoped that this additional amount will be subscribed within the near future, so that we may be able to say at least by our next commencement that the chapel is free from indebtedness.

"The alumnae are busily engaged in raising money to pay for the organ. They have hopes of attaining their objective within the coming year. According to the contract which has been made with the Acorn-Skinner Company, it is estimated that the organ will be completed on or about December 1950. Furnish Memorial Chapel

"The DeMotte Memorial Meditation Chapel, erected at the north-west corner of this building, has been furnished beautifully and appropriately by the DeMotte family in memory of Dr. William H. De-

Motte who was president of MacMurray College from 1868 to 1875. "The reredos and altar with their furnishings, the McClelland pulpit, and the Harker lectern are the gift of Professor McKendree McElfresh, Blair in memory of his great-grandfather, the Rev. John McElfresh, his grandfather and grandmother, the Rev. and Mrs. William McKendree McElfresh, and his mother, Mrs. Katherine McElfresh Blair.

"The Chapel Bible, which we are using today, is the gift of Mr. and Mrs. George J. Carpenter in memory of their daughter Alice Ada, a member of the Class of '44 and who at the time of her death was serving in the United States Navy as a link instructor to officers and cadets in Squadron 7.

"The pulpit and lectern hymn books Miss Lucille V. Crawford, a member of the Class of '27 and assistant librarian.

"The public address system has been provided by the Class of 1949. It seems, strange, looking back, that we ever considered seriously the proposal to eliminate the steeple from the chapel, but at the moment the costs were exceeding our expectations and our funds were insufficient. So for a brief time we thought that it might be omitted. However, as the work proceeded, it became apparent that the steeple was vital to the symmetry of the structure and so we voted to complete the building as the architects had designed it. Now, we are all agreed that it would have been an unpardonable mistake to have sacrificed this lovely steeple in the interests of economy. Surely our hearts leap up when we behold this silent finger pointing upward, and we are thankful that our chapel has been a tapering spire to point to realms where sin's forgiven. And lead men's thoughts from earth to heaven."

Comments Builders "How inspiring it is to realize that so many persons have co-operated in the construction of this building. I have referred to those who have given money, but let us not forget those whose skills have been essential to its erection: Mr. Odie C. Poundstone who drew the plans; Mr. Hubert Smith and Mr. T. J. Strong, who made sure that the specifications were carried out; Mr. Hugh Gibson, the general contractor; the Brunkow Electric Co. and Mr. Keith C. Herring who did the electrical work; Summerour and Devine, the lighting fixtures; the J. L. Brady Company, the heating and plumbing; the Walker Hardware Company; the American Seating Company; the men in the various crafts whose names are unknown but without whose labors the chapel could not have been erected.

Florence K. King Funeral Services Conducted Monday

Funeral services for Florence Kirk King were conducted at 2 p. m. Monday at the Reynolds chapel, with Rev. A. Harris officiating.

Music was furnished by the choir of the Mt. Emory Baptist church, with Mrs. Arthur Hecker as organist. Ladies in charge of the flowers were Mrs. Alice Scott, Mrs. Sadie Hatcher, Mrs. Dora Wright and Mrs. Samuel Richards.

Pallbearers were Offord Wright, Marshall Williams, Sam Johnson, Samuel Harris, John Dunn and Eugene Hayden.

Interment was made in Jacksonville East cemetery.

Mrs. King was born March 22, 1868 in Canton, Ill., the daughter of the late Ed and Roxie Kirk. The family moved to Jacksonville while she was small.

Her mother, a hairdresser and beauty culturist, taught her daughter the work, which she followed for many years.

She was married to John W. King of Jerseyville in 1890. One child born to this union died in infancy; the other, Carl King of Chicago, survives.

The decedent was the sister of the late Frank Kirk, who was a well known musician and travelled for many years on the Orpheum circuit. Since 1937 she had made her home with her son. About two weeks ago she was taken ill and passed away at Providence hospital Tuesday morning, Dec. 6. Surviving besides her son are a grandson, John W. King, a great grandson, John W. King, Jr., and a number of other relatives.

Mrs. King had been a member of Mt. Emory Baptist church since childhood.

Salem Lutheran Council Headed By Harold Perbix

Harold Perbix was elected chairman of the Salem Lutheran church council at the annual election held Sunday. Others chosen included George Greenier, vice chairman; Melvin Horn, secretary; and Tomahawk, financial secretary, and Alfred Enke, treasurer.

The church council was completed by the election of Paul David Meyer, O. A. Schutte, Elmer Roegge and Clarence H. Muehlhausen. Clarence Scheve and Adolph Damrau were elected to the board of education. Walter Enfield, Albert Lovelock and Gerald Cook were chosen to the board of finance. They will be assisted by the following tellers: Gilbert Schaefer, Wilf Klein, Schmidt, Jr., Herbert Strubbe and Harold Hempel.

Marion Riggs was elected trustee and Darrell Ehler head usher. These men, together with those on the boards whose term of office did not terminate, will head the voters' assembly in carrying out the business of Salem Lutheran church during the next year.

Garden Club Sets Holiday Luncheon For Next Saturday

The Morgan County Garden club will have a Christmas luncheon Saturday, Dec. 17, at MacMurray College, McClelland Dining Hall, at 12:30 p. m. Rev. John W. Collins will give the invocation and offer seasonal remarks. Mrs. Carl Riemann of Hempel and Riemann Florists, Inc., will give an illustrated demonstration of holiday table decorations.

Mrs. Mildred Beasley and her co-chairmen, Mrs. R. C. Henley, Mrs. R. G. Vasey, Mrs. E. A. Nilson, Mrs. Everett Reynolds, Mrs. Arthur Nerganah, Mrs. Earl Bourn, Mrs. Anna Coultas and Mrs. A. C. Bolle are in charge of table appointments.

Mrs. Cecil Flynn and Mrs. Harold Mahala Bradish the tickets, Mrs. H. V. Knoles, secretary, the reservation cards, Mrs. Wilbur Williams and Mrs. Abernathy the menu, and Mrs. G. C. Richardson the program. Cards will be in charge of Mrs. Frances King.

Guests are welcome. All names should be sent in with the reservation cards to Mrs. Knowles before Dec. 14.

Bind Rape Suspect To Grand Jury

Eugene Williams, 29 year old Jacksonville man, was bound over to the grand jury Monday under bonds of \$25,000 when he waived a preliminary hearing in the court of Justice Paul F. Hapke.

Williams is charged with raping a 12 year old girl near the Jefferson grade school on Monday night, Dec. 5. He was arrested the next day.

LEARN'S OF BIRTH Mrs. D. C. Livengood has received word of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Thurman John Gates of Hollidaysburg, Penn. Mrs. Gates was the former Jean Livengood. The child was born at Altoona hospital, Altoona, Penn., on Sunday at 11:28 a. m. and weighed 8 lbs.

Mrs. Livengood will leave Dec. 15 for a visit with her daughter, returning Jan. 2.

Chapter 1079 Women of the Moose will hold a potluck and Christmas party for members and their families Tuesday, December 13 at 6:30 p. m. at the Moose Hall. Treats for children. There will be a Christmas program.

Boys, Girls Discuss Etiquette Of Dating

The fifth in the "Planning for Parenthood" series, a panel discussion on "Dating, Etiquette and Courtship," took place at a joint meeting of the Hi-Y boys and the Delta Tri-Hi-Y girls Monday at 7:30 p. m. at the Grace church.

Mrs. R. J. Kaufman, a psychologist at the School for the Deaf, acted as moderator. Those participating were Evelyn McCreery, treasurer of the club; Patricia Hughes, president; Sylvia Plour, this year's homecoming queen; Fred Seymour, the boys' club's sergeant at arms; Charles Grant, president of his class throughout all four years and president of the high school executive committee; and Don Smith, Hi-Y president.

Advise For Boys The group decided that a boy should ask for a date at least one day in advance, and that he should ask in a direct fashion; that he should call for the girl at her home, and she should be ready to go, meeting him at the door and introducing her parents. Breaking a date was named very bad etiquette, except in an emergency. They agreed that 10:30 p. m. was late enough to stay out on a week night, 12 or 12:30 p. m. on a weekend, and that young people should have no more than four dates a week, including all school affairs.

The girls complained that the boys did not dance with them enough at school dances; they were told in return that the girls seemed to prefer dancing among themselves and they should wait until the boys got up enough nerve to ask them. Kissing on the first date was generally given disapproval by both sexes. Going steady was discussed, the boys being in favor of it and the girls preferring an open field.

Both sides looked down upon too much show of affection in public.

Choices Told The girls said they preferred polite, well mannered, neatly dressed boys, and the boys in their turn lauded girls who were neat, had a nice personality and could keep up a good conversation, particularly about sports.

Mrs. Kaufman reviewed the discussion, which lasted an hour and a quarter. The girls are supervised by Mrs. Tim Fennessey, the boys by Giles Woolf.

"You and Your Family" will be the final program in the series to

Reports on the membership contest, the gift shop and bake sale were given at the meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary at 7:30 p. m. Dec. 7, with Mildred Smith, president, presiding. A group of classical selections was given by Pat Woodridge.

Frances Davis, courtesy chairman, announced that Lillie Strawn and Florence Vasconcellos were ill. Lillie Schell, social chairman, said that there would be a 25c gift exchange at the Dec. 21 meeting.

Membership chairman Margaret Perry reported that department membership so far this year is 40,000, and that there are 192 local members with four new ones. The Blues are still leading in the unit contest.

Aurora Livingston asked more of the members to help wrap gifts in the shop to be held at 1 p. m. Erna Birk, finance chairman, reported on the bake sale.

Refreshments were served at the close by Lillie Schell, Manilla Wright and Theresa Walton.

Alexander District Heavy Contributor To Crop Program

E. P. Hohmann, chairman of the Christian Rural Overseas Program for Morgan county, announced Monday evening that more than \$1,000 has already been collected for the local CROP campaign. The canvassers will continue their visits to farmers in Morgan county throughout this week, and the final report meeting will be held in the Farm Bureau hall on Monday evening, Dec. 19, at 7:30.

All cards and money must be turned in to Treasurer Allen Wegehoff at that time.

The bulk of the funds collected for CROP thus far, \$966.50, comes from Road District No. 8, of which Phillip Hohmann, Alexander, was local chairman. Canvassers were George Fulton, Leonard Bergschneider, J. R. Bergschneider, Jr., Leo W. Hermes, Leo J. Lockhart and Leo Puchs. The balance of the money, \$92 came from District No. 3, in charge of the Rev. Robert Pfisch of Concord.

Worth While Club Enjoys Potluck Supper, Program

The Worth While club held its regular meeting recently with a potluck supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mason. After the dinner a short business meeting was held.

Mrs. S. B. Strickler, program chairman, presented the following program: the children present sang several Christmas songs, accompanied by Clyde Mason; Mrs. E. S. Deaton gave a reading and S. B. Strickler read the poem "The Night After Christmas." At the close of the program a gift exchange was enjoyed.

The club adjourned to meet again on Jan. 12 for a potluck supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newberry.

Mrs. Harry Furry Expires Monday

Mrs. Harry Furry passed away at 11:30 p. m. Monday at her home, 236 Park street. She was 77 years old and had been ill for about nine weeks.

A further obituary and funeral arrangements will be announced later.

Funeral Services

William Spencer Roodhouse—Last rites for William Spencer will be held at the Martin's Prairie Baptist church Tuesday at 2 p. m., with burial in Ebenezer cemetery northeast of Roodhouse. The body was removed Sunday afternoon from the Wolfe Memorial Home to the residence.

BURNING FLUE Jacksonville firemen were called to the home of Mrs. Thelma Day, 834 N. Clay avenue, at 7:45 p. m. Monday to extinguish a blazing flue. There was no damage.

The soldier ant of the special Phidole Instabills has a head twice as large as its body.

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